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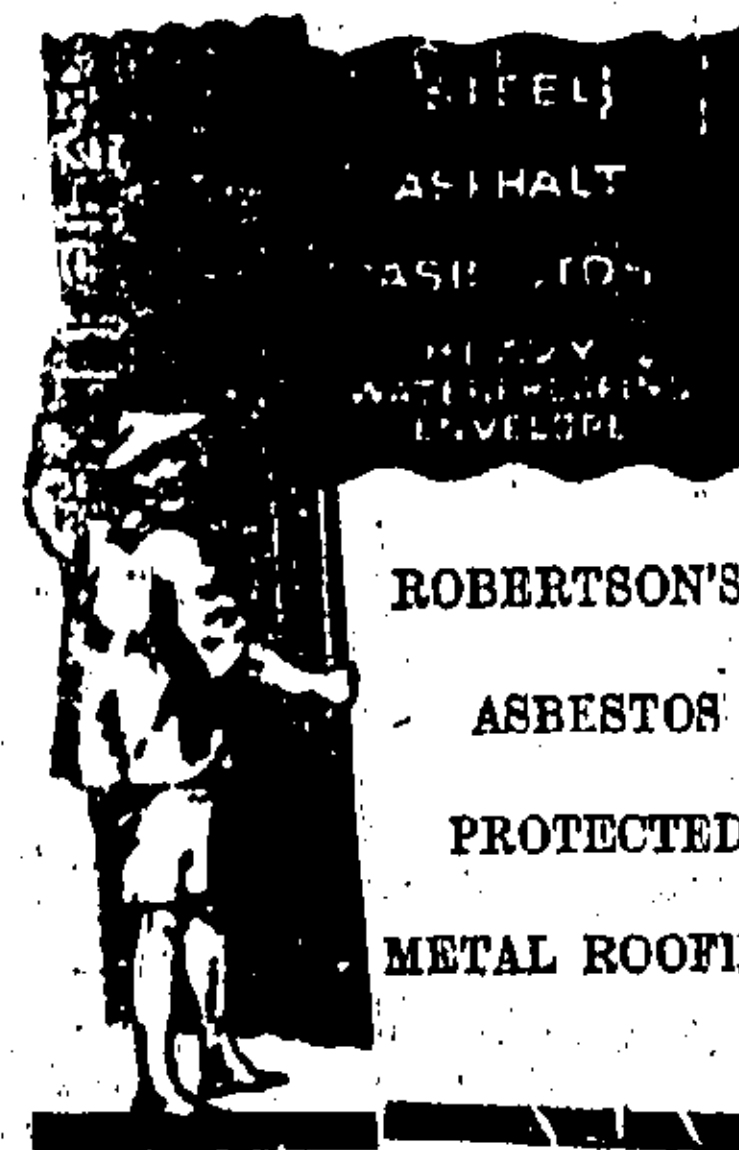
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## MORRIS IN COURT.

A 15-YEAR OLD GIRL'S  
EVIDENCE.

PATHEONIC FIGURE.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, October 29.

Three motor cars with blinds drawn arrived at Uckfield Police Court to-day. Several young girls, hooded, emerged and entered the Court, on the occasion of the reappearance of Hayley Morris and his newly-wedded wife before the magistrates.

A pathetic figure in the witness box was the girl of fifteen, who broke down at the previous hearing.

The witness hesitatingly described certain incidents and said Morris told her not to tell anyone and if she wanted money to write to him.

A girl of twenty said that when Morris asked her to go to his room she appealed to Mrs. Morris, who said: "If you like me, you will go, or he will stop my allowance."

Witness said she would go if Mrs. Morris would, and said Mrs. Morris was present during the alleged incident in the room.

## WORLD COAL.

STILL HOLDING OUR  
OWN.

EXPERT'S OPINIONS.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, Oct. 29.

Giving evidence at the Coal Commission, Sir Richard Redmayne said he could see no striking change on the world basis, detrimental to British coal interests.

Britain's coal exports in 1924 were 51.2 per cent. of the world exports, compared with 49.8 in 1913.

He opined that in a quarter of a century there would be no oil in the United States, and the world supply of oil would suffice more than 80 to 100 years.

## INDIA'S RULER.

MR. E. F. L. WOOD THE NEW  
VICEROY.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, October 29.

It is officially announced that Mr. E. F. L. Wood, the Minister for Agriculture, has been appointed Viceroy of India.

Rt. Hon. Edward Frederick Lindley Wood, P. C. 1922; M. P. (U) Ripon Division, West Riding of Yorkshire, born 1881. Major in the Yorkshire Dragoons. Heir to the 2nd Viscount Halifax. Parliamentary Under-Secretary for the Colonies 1921-2. Author of several publications.

## POLITICS TABOO.

MOSCOW'S SUN YAT-SEN  
UNIVERSITY.

(Reuter's Service.)

Moscow, October 29.

The Chinese University named after the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen will be opened at Moscow at the beginning of December.

It will accommodate 250 Chinese students.

M. Radek, who has been elected Rector, said the work of the University would be strictly scientific, principally social and would be entirely free from propaganda.

## ALL TO VOTE.

(Reuter's Service.)

Melbourne, October 29.

The Victorian Assembly passed the compulsory Voting Bill imposing a penalty of \$2 for failure to vote in State elections.

It is estimated that 250,000 listeners heard the announcement which was broadcast.

## MAJOR DI PINEDO.

(Reuter's Service.)

Buenos Aires, October 29.

Major Di Pinedo, the aviator, has arrived in Buenos Aires.

## FINAL FAREWELLS.

TO-MORROW'S DEPARTING  
SCENES.

CHINESE ELDERS' REQUEST.

Final farewell to Hongkong's departing Governor, Sir R. E. Stubbs, K.C.M.G., will be taken to-morrow between 11.15 and 11.30 a.m. at Queen's Pier where representatives of all interests in Hongkong will be present in large numbers. Both interesting and significant of the reciprocal feelings of goodwill animating the Hongkong Government and the community with relation to the Chinese notwithstanding the events originating in alien interference is the expressed wish of representative elders of the New Territories to be present at Queen's Pier in order that they may by their presence and good wishes bear testimony to the beneficial results attending the British administration of the New Territories in general and Sir R. E. Stubbs' personal interest and furtherance of their interests in particular. Their presence is entirely at their own request.

There will be five or six of these elders present at the pier to-morrow and they will be introduced to Sir R. E. Stubbs by the Hon. Mr. D. W. Trautman, Secretary for Chinese Affairs.

MR. CLEMENTI'S LANDING.

The s.s. "Kalyan" will arrive in Hongkong on Sunday morning and as nearly as can be gauged at the present time Mr. Cecil Clementi will land at Queen's pier at about 9.45. He will be met by Government officials, Unofficial members of the Legislative Council, naval and military representatives and prominent members of the community, will proceed to the Council Chamber where will be administered the oaths and the Constitution read and will then proceed to Government House accompanied by a guard of honour composed of selected men from the East Surrey Regiment.

GOVERNOR'S PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Mr. T. J. Gaisford-St. Lawrence, Private Secretary to H.E. the Governor, left this morning for Home via Shanghai and America by the "Empress of Canada." It is not known definitely whether Mr. Gaisford-St. Lawrence or Capt. Neville will accompany Sir R. E. Stubbs to Jamaica.

## REVENUE CASE.

WRONGFUL REMOVAL OF  
TOBACCO.

Before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning, Li Wing-chun, of 19, Nathan Road, was charged with removing 595 lbs. of tobacco, 21,625 cigars and 218,400 cigarettes from his bonded warehouse to another part of the premises, and alternatively with keeping the tobacco in an unlicensed warehouse.

Mr. J. A. Fraser, assistant superintendent of Imports and Exports, prosecuted.

Defendant pleaded guilty to the charge of moving the tobacco, which he said was done as the tobacco was deteriorating owing to leaks in the roof.

Mr. Fraser said that since the defendant took the business over from Mr. Atienza two months ago, he had applied for permission to store the tobacco in a shed in the yard. The shed was divided into two by a stone wall, one part being used as a warehouse. On October 22 a revenue officer visited the premises and found that the tobacco had been transferred from the warehouse to the other part used as a bedroom.

A fine of \$50 was imposed.

## "HONAM" TRIPS.

LANDING "SQUEEZE" STILL  
HIGH.

Conditions similar to those experienced by "Fatahan" passengers on the last trip of that vessel were reported upon the return yesterday from Canton of the s.s. "Honam," those Chinese who could afford to pay the exorbitant sums demanded being able to land and those who could not having to return to Hongkong. The majority found the necessary money.

The s.s. "Fatahan" will return to Canton this afternoon.

## MOTOR ACCIDENTS.

BUS IN A VEGETABLE  
GARDEN.

TWO PERSONS INJURED.

By a strange circumstance a breakdown van belonging to the Kai Tack Motor Bus Company found itself in a vegetable garden in its endeavour to get to Hung-hom yesterday afternoon.

According to the statement of the driver of the van, he turned from Sai Kung Road into Kowloon City Road when the vehicle struck the bank, overturned, and fell into the garden.

The occupants of the van got again before it toppled over.

An inspector of the same company witnessed another accident at Tsun Wan Road, near Kau Kang village, when a motor truck belonging to the Tai Hing contractors, of Portland Street, Yaumatei, struck a bank and overturned.

A Chinese accountant who was riding in the truck was injured and had to be taken to the Kwong Wah Hospital.

According to the eye-witness, the truck swerved in order to avoid a pedestrian, and in so doing steered into the bank.

Queen's Road Collision.

A motor car owned by a Chinese pulled up near the Naval Yard yesterday afternoon owing to a truck being in the way. A tram car following close behind failed to observe the signal and ran into the motor car, doing some damage to the latter.

At Pokfulam Road, a P.W.D. lorry knocked down a seven-year old Chinese boy, who was injured in the head and body and had to be taken to the Government Civil Hospital.

## UNMOLESTED.

SHAMEEN RESIDENTS AND  
CANTON.

SANITARY ARRANGEMENTS.

No untoward incidents have taken place since the opening of the postern of the Western (British) gate on Shameen and residents walk generally unmolested and almost unnoticed in the City. Their presence there occasions no comment on the part of passers by and unless they bring parcels back to Shameen they are unmolested. Strike pickets claim the right to examine parcels and to prohibit the carrying into Shameen of foodstuffs.

It was inevitable that in the absence of Chinese workers the sanitary arrangements of the City have had to be left to individuals themselves and conditions as regards the streets and other public places have been of necessity not of the best. Since the arrival of non-Cantonese Chinese scavengers arranged for through the Sanitary authorities at Hongkong, things in this respect have improved considerably.

## "SERIOUS CHARGE."

AMERICAN SAILOR'S  
FIREARMS.

SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE ARREST.

An unemployed American seaman named Vertie Von Brunson was charged before Mr. S. B. B. McDermott at the Central Magistrate's Court this morning with unlawful possession of two automatic pistols and 52 rounds of ammunition.

Detective Sergeant O'Donovan said that he visited the Seamen's Institute yesterday evening on certain information received by him and arrested the defendant following the discovery of the arms in his possession.

His Worship told the defendant that it was a serious charge, and remanded the case for one week, bail being allowed on \$2,000.

Inadvertently, reference was omitted in the report on page 3 to the presentation by the Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak of a ring to Sir R. E. Stubbs to take to Lady Stubbs on behalf of her personal friends.

Mr. Holyoak added that there was a surplus to the sum spent on the ring which as His Excellency's gift was to be presented to the Lady Stubbs of the 2nd. Attached to the ring was a card which was a gift of the same person to the Lady Stubbs and the ring was presented to the Lady Stubbs.

It will be remembered that last year the amount of China's and particularly Hongkong's contribution towards this very deserving fund by far exceeded any previous total, a fact which called forth many expressions of thanks from the headquarters of the Legion and which is still recalled, as indicated by the above cable.

The local branch of the Legion is again organising a Poppy Day drive for November 11 and many promises of help have been received. While it is not expected in view of the hard times the Colony has been passing through, to reach last year's figure, it is hoped that the drive will be a success.

As is pointed out by the cable, the need for help is still great and it is earnestly hoped that Hongkong will again do its share towards the fund for which the local branch of the Legion is again organising a Poppy Day drive for November 11 and many promises of help have been received.

## REDS "NERVY."

BLOCKING THE WEST  
RIVERS.

GREATER ACTIVITY.

Whatever the chances of an attack may be, the Reds at Canton are undoubtedly "nervy" with regard to the presence of northern cruisers in the vicinity. The presence of one of them at Hainan taken in conjunction with the fact that Hainan itself favourable to a resumption of trade and antagonistic to the present Canton administration, have two small gunboats, has led the Reds to greater activity in the matter of laying mines and the patrol of armed launches in the West River.

The blocking of the West river is reported by the naval authorities who are in receipt of a message.

TYPHOON WARNINGS

A depression or typhoon of unknown intensity within 120 miles of Lat. 15 N., Long 129 E., which in an earlier warning was stated to be moving W.N.W., is reported this morning to be nearly stationary in Lat. 17 N., Long. 128 E. (North-East of the Philippines).

A cyclone or typhoon E. of Luzon, more than 300 miles distant, inclining northward, is also reported this morning.

The forecast for Hongkong for the 24 hours ending at noon to-morrow is N.E. winds, fresh, fine.

## "DISAPPOINTED."

GERMAN NATIONALS  
PROTEST.

LOCARNO TREATIES.

(Reuter's Service.)

Berlin, October 29.

The executive of the German National party in a manifesto outlining its attitude towards the Locarno treaties says that the pact greatly disappointed the party because of their principles regarding war-guilt and the state of the army. Article sixteen of the League covenant had not been upheld and there had been no reduction in the occupation periods of the Rhineland and Saar as stipulated.

Canada's Elections

FAVOURABLE CONSERVATIVE RETURNS.

(Reuter's Service.)

Ottawa, October 29.

The first returns of the Canadian elections indicate that the tide is flowing in favour of the Conservatives.

## POPPY DAY.

EARL HAIG'S APPEAL TO  
COLONY.

Yesterday the following cable was received here from Earl Haig by the local secretary of the British Legion.

"Gratefully recall China's magnificent contribution to my fund for ex-servicemen last year. Distress is still very severe and help this year will be deeply appreciated."

## GREEKS LEAVE.

BULGARIAN TERRITORY  
EVACUATED.

(Reuter's Service.)

Paris, October 29.

The Council of the League has received telegrams from Athens explaining that the hitch in the Greek evacuation of Bulgaria occurred owing to the Bulgarians following up the Greeks too closely.

The result was that shots were exchanged, but the incident is not serious and the evacuation will be carried out according to schedule.

Athens, October 29.

It is officially notified that the Greeks have evacuated Bulgarian territory.

## TO-DAY'S DOLLAR.

The closing rate of the dollar on demand to-day was 2/5 1/4.

## SYRIAN TROUBLE.

FOREIGNERS AND DANGER  
ZONE.

WARNING NOT GIVEN?

(Reuter's Service.)

Cairo, October 29.

A message from Damascus states that the newspaper "Omran" says that on the 23rd inst. a communiqué from the British Consulate stated that the bombardment was expected to start on the 24th inst. but the Consulate would do its best to send British subjects from the danger zone.

Later the same night the French authorities announced that guarantees had been given for payment of the fines imposed on the city, and therefore the danger of bombardment was temporarily over.

The authorities have arrested Hassan el-Karrath, who led the band in the insurrection and 43 other insurgents, while 180 Damascenes and suburban residents have been charged with complicity.

The paper adds that three were executed. "We do not know the nature of their crime."

Washington Alarmed.

Washington, October 29.

Alarmed at the reports from Syria, the State Department has instructed the American Ambassador at Paris to make representations to the French Government for the protection of American life and property at Damascus.

Later:

According to official reports from Damascus, while the French residents were removed to barricaded positions, the bombardment proceeded without notice to other foreigners.

A demand for indemnification will undoubtedly be made to Paris in respect of damage to American property immediately the details are received.

It is not known what damage has already been done, though hitherto no American has been reported hurt.

Sarrail to be Recalled.

It is reported that one of the first acts of the new Government will be to recall General Sarrail from Syria.

Earlier Cables.

Paris, October 29.

The newspapers are very anxious over the situation in Syria. "L'Echo de Paris" says that M. Doumergue has requested M. Painleve to do what is necessary to re-establish tranquility at any cost. A correspondent of the same paper accuses General Sarrail of pro-Turkish and anti-Arab leanings and of upholding Turkish Freemasonry.

"Figaro" and "Le Matin" criticize General Sarrail's alleged failure to supply information. The latter says that General Sarrail's reports talk about the weather and the dearth of living, with a postscript of two lines in regard to the gravest events.

"Le Matin" declares that General Sarrail's lack of balance is damaging the prestige of France in the world.

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Capital (Paid-up) .....Yen 52,500,000  
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**COMMERCIAL AND FINANCE.**

**RUBBER SHARES.**

Latest Singapore Quotations.

Yesterday Messrs. Carroll Bros. received a telegram from their Singapore friends advising that the price of rubber has risen to \$1.64 per lb., and giving the following prices: The Ayer Kuning Co. have declared an interim dividend of 6 per cent.

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Ayer Panas .....13.25  
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Bassett's .....1.60  
Bukit Jelutongs .....1.50  
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Jerams .....1.50  
Jimahs .....2.45  
Kedahs .....4.15  
Kempas .....9.25  
Kuala Sidims .....3.70  
Lunas .....14.50  
Malaka Pindas .....3.55  
Malakoffs .....5.30  
Mandai Tekongs .....1.15  
Mayfields .....12.50  
New Serendangs .....4.60  
Pajams .....14.50  
Parit Peraks .....2.40  
Perak Rivers .....1.75  
Punggor's .....3.65  
Sanderfrofts .....4.10  
Scudais .....4.25  
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Tapahs .....1.75  
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Teluk Ansons .....1.50  
Termerloh's .....3.00  
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Utah Simpans .....2.00  
Pulau Bulangs .....2.00

**SAIGON RICE MARKET.**

The Cie. de Commerce et de Navigation d'Extrême-Orient, in their report dated, Saigon, October 20, state:—

"There is practically no change in our market. The Hongkong trade seems to improve slowly. Regular enquiries are received from Java, but the volume of business is rather small.

The supply of paddy is just meeting the requirements.

The total amount of rice exported from January 1 to October 15, 1925, is 1,184,302,093 tons against 963,324,066 in 1924.

We quote to-day white Saigon rice No. 1 25 per cent. broken, round grain, per picul of 134 lbs. f.o.b. Saigon, Hongkong \$6.70, 50.13.8, yen 9.80.

White Saigon rice No. 2, 2nd Japan quality, per picul of 134 lbs. f.o.b. Saigon, Hongkong \$6.40, 50.13.0, yen 9.30. For October-November shipment.

**BROADCASTING.**

The State's Revenue.

"Speaking at the close of the remarkable operatic representation of 'Hiawatha' at the Albert Hall, Mr. T. C. Fairbairn, the producer, made an interesting suggestion. It was that some portion of the large revenue which the Government now draws from broadcasting should be used for subsidising opera and music," says the "Daily Chronicle."

"At the present this money, which is largely the fruit of the nation's interest in music, and allied arts, all goes in relief of the general taxpayer. Would it not be a wise, as well as an equitable, policy to spend some of it, at least, on fertilising the soil from which the fruit grows."

"Great Britain is virtually alone among the cultured nations of Europe in having no theatre or opera house subsidised by State or municipality. It is a direct and, as experience strongly suggests, an unescapable result, that we have no indigenous opera, and that such efforts as are made to provide the mass of English people with opera in their own language are condemned to struggle on at an unsatisfactory artistic level."

"Of course, if we think that it does not matter that our nation, alone in Europe, should remain starved of modern Europe's highest popular art, there is no more to be said. But, if we are concerned about it—as surely every thoughtful person should be—then Mr. Fairbairn's suggestion about the broadcasting revenue seems well worth turning over."

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**"WORK TOGETHER."****SIR R. E. STUBBS' PARTING ADVICE.****THEATRE ROYAL MEETING.****Reiterated Confidence in Hongkong's Future.**

Official and Unofficial members of the Legislative Council, naval and military representatives and all other sections of the community were represented at the meeting in the City Hall yesterday afternoon when His Excellency Sir Reginald Edward Stubbs, K.C.M.G., was presented with an address on behalf of the British, foreign and Chinese communities. Replying to the address His Excellency reviewed the happenings of the years of his administration which he described as the six happiest of his life and reiterating his confidence in the success of the great developments he was certain the future held for Hongkong.

The Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak presided over the meeting and in addition to His Excellency the Governor there were upon the platform Colonel Russell Brown (Officer Commanding the Troops), Commodore Stirling, Hon. Sir Claude Severn, Hon. Sir Henry Pollock, Hon. Mr. H. T. Greasy, Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, K.C., Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang, Hon. Mr. H. W. Bird, Hon. Mr. Chow Shou-son, Hon. Mr. R. H. Kote-wall, Mr. Justice Gompertz, Mr. Justice J. R. Wood, Mr. A. H. Barlow, Mr. D. G. M. Bernard, Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher, Mr. S. W. Tso, Mr. Ho Kom-tong, Mr. Wong Kwong-tin, Mr. T. N. Chau, Mr. M. F. Kay, Mr. T. J. Galsford-St. Lawrence and Capt. Swinton, M.C. The furnishings on the stage were kindly lent by Messrs. William Powell.

The Chairman, addressing the gathering, said: Your Excellency, ladies and gentlemen, I should first of all tell you that there would have been very many more well-known citizens present here this afternoon were it not for the fact that they are engaged upon an enquiry into the administration of the loan which was originally applied for by the Government, and they ask me to apologise for their absence owing to the urgency of the situation. On behalf of the British and foreign residents, Sir, I desire to present to you this address in which you will find the following inscription with one page to be added:—

**The Address.**

The address from the British and Foreign communities, which is enclosed in a handsome silver mounted blackwood case, and has been extensively signed, is as follows:—

To His Excellency Sir Reginald Edward Stubbs, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Hongkong and its Dependencies and Vice-Admiral of the Sea.

Your Excellency.—We the signatories of this address, being members of the British and Foreign Communities of the Colony of Hongkong and its Dependencies, avail ourselves of the opportunity presented by your Excellency's approaching departure for England to express in this manner the sentiments of esteem and respect we entertain for your character and administrative abilities.

Throughout the period of nearly six years which has elapsed since we assembled to present an Address of greeting on your arrival as Governor, a period which has had its moments of grave anxiety, you have upheld the dignity of your high office and promoted the peace, harmony and unity of the many elements which comprise this Community.

The many complex problems resulting from the rapid growth in the population of the Colony have been faced with a firmness, fairness and foresight which have won the approbation of all classes. Your Governance will long be remembered for its breadth of vision and the progress made in the transfer of Military Lands, in Port and Harbour development, in Water Supply Schemes, in improved means of Communication and in Town planning. It will be remembered also for the measures taken to suppress piracy and for the manner in which the scales of justice were held evenly against the conflicting interests of landlords and tenants during a period of unprecedented expansion in the population.

Our good wishes attend your Excellency and Lady Stubbs, whose personal charm and enthusiasm for all good causes that lay within her sphere in the Colony have won the hearts of every class.

We look forward to your continuing and completing a long career of public usefulness and distinction in the service of His Majesty which will always be followed with the keenest interest in this Colony.

We beg that you will convey to Lady Stubbs our warmest greetings and we desire to convey to you our sincere wishes for the peace and prosperity of the Colony.

The Hon. Mr. Holyoak added to the address the following comment:—

Since this address was compiled Sir, totally unlooked for events have delayed your departure for many weeks. During the crisis which arose and throughout the difficult and unprecedented situations which it produced, not only have you enhanced your reputation for sound administration, but by the tact, courage, firmness and conspicuous ability with which they have been handled you have won the admiration and gratitude of us all and your memory will long be cherished here, as one of the most brilliant of a long line of able administrators.

**Chinese Community's Token.**

Following is the translation of the illuminated address presented to H.E. the Governor by Hon. Mr. Chow Shou-son on behalf of the Chinese community of Hongkong.

To His Excellency Sir Reginald Edward Stubbs, K.C.M.G., Governor of Hongkong.

On the destined day of June, 1925, Your Excellency returns to the home of your ancestors. The people of this land have received great benefits from your kindly rule, and have vainly attempted to stay your departure by clinging to the shafts of your chariot; and now they have come together in their multitudes to this place of farewell to express their sincere feelings in this address.

The worthy son of a worthy father who was himself renowned in virtue, Your Excellency is endowed by nature with an exceptional intellect and quickness of perception. At school and university your name soared on high, while by your scholastic attainments you far excelled your fellows. By virtue of your remarkable erudition you obtained an official position, assisting in the administration of the British colonial possessions. By your marked ability and meritorious services you were soon selected to visit this colony on a special mission; and your work here in that connection compelled the esteem and admiration of us all.

Therefore when in the year 1919 Your Excellency was appointed to be our Governor, the people regarded your return to these shores as having been unduly delayed although your last visit had been but a short time before. In the words of the Master, "in twelve months a complete grasp of affairs was manifested; in three years his policy was accomplished." The hopes of the people have thus been more than realised, and your work will be ever on their lips.

**Services to Hongkong.**  
The services which Your Excellency has rendered to the Colony are without number, and we can in this place but select a few of the greatest.

The University of Hongkong is the training ground for our youth. Your Excellency appointed a commission of investigation, and granted large sums of money to help to maintain its high standard. This is an instance of Your Excellency's policy to promote education.

Since Your Excellency gave them your personal attention, the finances of the colony have steadily improved, and the full benefit of this can now be seen, as it were, under a strong light. This is an instance of Your Excellency's financial policy.

Surrounded by the sea Hongkong suffers distress whenever there is a drought. You have not hesitated to embark upon a great scheme for building fresh reservoirs at Shing Mun, so that in future years the people may not thirst. This is an instance of Your Excellency's policy to improve the conditions of the people's life.

In the way of building roads and other public works you have spared no efforts, so that the outlying districts might be linked up, and this colony become generally prosperous. These are instances of Your Excellency's policy in municipal improvement.

Such are a few examples of Your Excellency's beneficent rule, which has ever been guided by the people's welfare and the peace and prosperity of the Colony.

greatly aided the success of that rule, and the people of this colony look up to her with esteem and gratitude.

And now Your Excellency is to leave us. We have no suitable return to make to you, but we can pray for your good health and happiness, hoping that your future career in the public service may be crowned with even greater success. Such is the humble prayer of us all.

From the Chinese community of Hongkong.

**Governor's Happiest Years.**

His Excellency the Governor, who was received with loud and prolonged applause, on rising to reply, said: Ladies and gentlemen, it is hard for me to find words in which to say "Good-bye" to you. I am more touched than I can express by the kindness with which I have been treated by the people of Hongkong on the occasion of my departure and by the eloquent terms in which your spokesmen have referred to such services as I have been able to render to the Colony. I have spent six of the happiest years of my life here. They have not been without their periods of anxiety, difficulty and strain, but at all such times I have been strengthened by the knowledge that I could rely entirely on the friendship and support of the members of my Councils, the loyal co-operation of the public service and on the goodwill of the community, who, I know, have realised that my sole desire has been to do what was best for the Colony as a whole "without fear or favour, affection or ill-will." (Applause.)

I have been most fortunate in having found the public finances in a state which made it possible to carry out large programmes of works without oppressing the community with heavy taxation or mortgaging the future by raising large loans, and, as a result, my period of administration has shown a great advance in the improvement of means of communication, in town planning and in the increase of the water supply, which is of such importance to the public health. (Applause.)

**South China Anarchy.**

Had I left Hongkong at the time I originally proposed to leave last June, I should have used no words but those of optimism. I had just, at the request of the Secretary of State, prepared for his consideration and that of my successor, a programme showing the various works of public utility which I should myself have endeavoured to carry out if I had been here for the next five years and was looking forward to handing over the Colony to my successor with the confident expectation that progress would continue steadily.

The events of the last few months have falsified my expectations, and I fear that many of the works which I had advocated will have to be postponed to a later period.

So much harm our enemies have been able to effect. That they have done so at the cost of far greater damage to Canton and South China generally seems to be a matter of indifference to them. It certainly gives no pleasure to us who have always been the truest friends of the Chinese and whose sole desire has been to live in amity with our neighbours and to carry on a commerce from which both parties benefit. (Applause.)

How long the present state of anarchy in South China will continue it is, of course, impossible to conjecture, but it cannot last indefinitely, and I look forward to the time when order will be re-established with the sure confidence that Hongkong will then resume the rapid progress which has been temporarily hindered, and will rise to ever greater heights of prosperity.

**A Splendid Spirit.**

During the troubled period of the strike the community of Hongkong has shown a splendid spirit. We owe a debt of gratitude to those members of all classes and races in the community who came forward so readily to take their part in the maintenance of order as "Volunteers" and "Special constables to assist the Police and His Majesty's Forces," (whose admirable conduct and readiness to help in every possible way I desire to acknowledge here in the warmest terms), and to those who undertook hard and often unpleasant work in the maintenance of the essential services of civilised life. But apart from these the whole community has a right to congratulate itself on the courage and endurance with which it has met the difficulties and on the splendid spirit of co-operation which has prevailed.

Work Together. Speaking here for the first time since the 30th September, 1925, I am glad to say that the strike has been ended and that the community is once again united in the pursuit of its common interests.

**NOTICES****THE CHINA LIGHT & POWER COMPANY (1918), LIMITED.**

WITH reference to the Notice to the Shareholders of this Company dated 18th September, 1925, whereby the Final Call of \$3.00 per share on the New Shares was made payable on 3rd November, 1925, instead of 1st October, 1925, the General Managers and Consulting Committee have decided, in view of the conditions prevailing at present, to further extend the time for payment of this Call.

Notice is accordingly hereby given that the date for payment of the Final Call is postponed to 4th January, 1926, and that the Form of Bankers' Receipt already sent to Shareholders can be used as though the date named therein were the 4th January, 1926.

FOR THE CHINA LIGHT & POWER CO. (1918), LTD., SHEWAN TOMES & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, 28th October, 1925.

**THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING CO., LTD.**

WITH reference to the Notice to the Shareholders of this Company dated 23rd July, 1925, whereby the Final Call of \$5.00 per share on the New Shares was made payable on 2nd November, 1925, instead of 1st August, 1925, the General Managers and Consulting Committee have decided, in view of the conditions prevailing at present, to further extend the time for payment of this Call.

Notice is accordingly hereby given that the date for payment of the Final Call is postponed to 1st February, 1926, and that the Form of Bankers' Receipt already sent to Shareholders can be used as though the date named therein were the 1st February, 1926.

FOR THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING CO., LTD., SHEWAN TOMES & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, 29th October, 1925.

**GETZ BROS. & CO. (OF THE ORIENT), LTD.**

TAKE NOTICE that as from the date hereof Mr. J. EDWARD ATHERLEY has ceased to be employed as Manager of this firm and his Power of Attorney has been revoked. Mr. T. L. PARK-HURST has as from To-day been appointed Manager in his stead.

CHARLES J. KELLY, For Getz Bros. & Co. (of the Orient), Ltd. Dated 22nd October, 1925.

**REMOVAL NOTICE.**

WE beg to inform our Customers that we will remove our business to No. 19, Queen's Road Central, 1st floor (above A Ling & Co.) from 1st October next. The new premises are well ventilated and we hope to give our customers greater comfort and also hope they will continue to extend to us their kind patronage.

CAMPBELL MOORE & CO., Haly Dressers. Hongkong, 21st Sept., 1925.

have sought advice from many quarters; it has been readily given, and gratefully received, and to that fact alone I ascribe any success that may have attended my period of administration.

This Colony has no Coat of Arms and consequently no motto. If it should ever take out a grant of Arms I would select for its motto the word "Co-operation" or perhaps better "Work Together."

The spirit of mutual helpfulness shown during the strike is the spirit which will bring the Colony through all its difficulties and to the great future on which I confidently reckon. (Applause.)

I have only now, ladies and gentlemen, to say "Good-bye" to you and to thank you once again for the many kindnesses which I have received at your hands, of which these beautiful addresses and the ring which you have presented from the ladies of the Colony to my wife will remain in my family as continual reminders of my time in Hongkong.

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8.—O.S.K. Kajo Maru

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## SHANGHAI.

Oct. 31.—O.N. Shintung

Nov. 1.—P. &amp; O. Delta

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MELB & SANDARAY.

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| S. S.       | Tons   | From<br>HONGKONG<br>(ABOUT) | DESTINATION                                       |
|-------------|--------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| "KHYA"      | 9,135  | 31st Oct.<br>at Noon        | Marseilles, Casablanca, London, Hall<br>& Antwerp |
| "MANTUA"    | 10,962 | 14th Nov.                   | Marseilles and London                             |
| "KALYAN"    | 9,144  | 28th Nov.                   | Marseilles, London and Antwerp                    |
| "KASHMIR"   | 9,985  | 10th Dec.                   | Singapore, Penang, Colbo & Bombay                 |
| "MOREA"     | 10,811 | 18th Dec.                   | Marseilles and London                             |
| "KASHGAR"   | 9,008  | 30th Dec.<br>1898           | Marseilles, London & Antwerp                      |
| "MACEDONIA" | 11,089 | 9th Jan.                    | Marseilles and London                             |
| "KHYBER"    | 9,174  | 23rd Jan.                   | Marseilles, London & Antwerp                      |
| "DELTA"     | 9,097  | 4th Feb.                    | Singapore, Penang, Colbo & Bombay                 |
| "MALWA"     | 10,941 | 18th Feb.                   | Marseilles and London                             |
| "KARMALA"   | 9,089  | 28th Feb.                   | Marseilles, London & Antwerp                      |
| "MANTUA"    | 10,962 | 10th Mar.                   | Marseilles, London & Antwerp                      |
| "KASHMIR"   | 9,985  | 23rd Mar.                   | Marseilles, London & Antwerp                      |
| "KHYA"      | 9,135  | 30th Mar.                   | Marseilles and London                             |
| "MOREA"     | 10,811 | 3rd Apr.                    | Marseilles, London & Antwerp                      |
| "KALYAN"    | 9,144  | 17th Apr.                   | Marseilles, London & Antwerp                      |
| "MACEDONIA" | 11,089 | 1st May                     | Marseilles and London                             |
| "KASHGAR"   | 9,008  | 15th May                    | Marseilles, London & Antwerp                      |

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## BRITISH INDIA-APOAR SAILINGS

| STEAMER   | Tons   | Day       | Destination                  |
|-----------|--------|-----------|------------------------------|
| "SANTHA"  | 8,500  | 30th Nov. | Singapore, Penang & Calcutta |
| "TILAWA"  | 10,000 | 1st Dec.  | Singapore, Penang & Calcutta |
| "TALAMBA" | 8,018  | 14th Dec. | Singapore, Penang & Calcutta |
| "TALMA"   | 10,000 | 28th Dec. | Singapore, Penang & Calcutta |

## EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS (Sabbath)

| STEAMER      | Tons  | Day                    | Destination                                                                          |
|--------------|-------|------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| "ST. ALBANS" | 4,500 | 4th Nov.<br>at 10 a.m. | Manila, Sandakan, Thursday Island,<br>Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney and<br>Melbourne. |
| "TANDA"      | 6,958 | 1st Dec.               | do.                                                                                  |
| "ARAFURA"    | 6,000 | 8th Jan.               | do.                                                                                  |
| "ST. ALBANS" | 4,500 | 3rd Feb.               | do.                                                                                  |
| "TANDA"      | 6,958 | 3rd Mar.               | do.                                                                                  |
| "ARAFURA"    | 6,000 | 7th Apr.               | do.                                                                                  |

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The New Zealand Shipping Company's steamers for Southampton and London  
via Panama Canal.

## SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN

| STEAMER     | Tons   | Day                 | Destination                 |
|-------------|--------|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| "KALYAN"    | 9,144  | 1st Nov.<br>at Noon | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "SANTHA"    | 8,500  | 2nd Nov.            | Amoy, Moji, Kobe and Osaka. |
| "TANDA"     | 6,958  | 7th Nov.            | Moji, Kobe and Yokohama.    |
| "TILAWA"    | 10,000 | 14th Nov.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "MOREA"     | 10,811 | 18th Nov.           | do.                         |
| "KASHMIR"   | 9,985  | 18th Nov.           | Kobe.                       |
| "TALAMBA"   | 8,018  | 28th Nov.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "KASHGAR"   | 9,008  | 30th Nov.           | Shanghai and Kobe.          |
| "TALMA"     | 10,000 | 6th Dec.            | Kobe.                       |
| "MACEDONIA" | 11,089 | 12th Dec.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "SANTHA"    | 8,500  | 18th Dec.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "ARAFURA"   | 6,000  | 18th Dec.           | Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.      |
| "KALYAN"    | 9,144  | 30th Dec.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "SANTHA"    | 8,500  | 6th Jan.            | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "TANDA"     | 6,958  | 13th Jan.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "TILAWA"    | 10,000 | 20th Jan.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "MOREA"     | 10,811 | 27th Jan.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "KASHMIR"   | 9,985  | 3rd Feb.            | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "TALAMBA"   | 8,018  | 10th Feb.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "KASHGAR"   | 9,008  | 17th Feb.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "TALMA"     | 10,000 | 24th Feb.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "MACEDONIA" | 11,089 | 3rd Mar.            | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "SANTHA"    | 8,500  | 10th Mar.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "ARAFURA"   | 6,000  | 17th Mar.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "KALYAN"    | 9,144  | 24th Mar.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "SANTHA"    | 8,500  | 31st Mar.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "TANDA"     | 6,958  | 7th Apr.            | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "TILAWA"    | 10,000 | 14th Apr.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "MOREA"     | 10,811 | 21st Apr.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "KASHMIR"   | 9,985  | 28th Apr.           | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "TALAMBA"   | 8,018  | 5th May             | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |
| "KASHGAR"   | 9,008  | 12th May            | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.    |

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12.-J.C.J.L. Tjibodas

FROM SHANGHAI.

Oct. 31.-C.N. Shikang

7.-N.L. Shikang

Nov. 8.-J.C.J.L. Free Grant

FROM NORTH CHINA.

Nov. 8.-J.C.J.L. Tjibodas

13.-J.C.J.L. Tjibodas

FROM SINGAPORE.

Nov. 1.-R.L. Santhia

2.-N.Y.K. Haruna Maru

8.-B.F. Glauco

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23.-B.F. Glauco

15.-B.F. Glauco

Dec. 7.-B.F. Glauco

8.-B.F. Glauco

20.-B.F. Glauco

23.-B.F. Glauco

FROM SAIGON.

Oct. 28.-M.M. Ancora

FROM CALCUTTA.

Nov. 1.-B.I. Santhia

12.-B.I. Tilawa

23.-B.I. Tilawa

Dec. 4.-B.I. Tilawa

FROM JAPAN.

Nov. 1.-E. & A. St. Albans

3.-J.C.J.L. Tjibodas

4.-J.C.J.L. Tjibodas

8.-N.Y.K. Haruka Maru

8.-A.O.L. Pros. Grant

10.-J.C.J.L. Tjibodas

20.-J.C.J.L. Tjibodas

FROM BOMBAY.

Nov. 27.-P. & O. Souda

Jan. 8.-P. & O. Dola

FROM MANILA.

Nov. 4.-A.O.L. Pros. Grant

6.-B.I. Santhia

8.-C.P.S. Empress of Russia

16.-A.O.L. Pros. Grant

Dec. 8.-C.P.S. Empress of Asia

23.-C.P.S. Empress of Canada

FROM SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

Nov. 4.-B.I. Santhia

17.-N.Y.K. Haruka Maru

Dec. 11.-E. & A. St. Albans

23.-N.Y.K. Haruka Maru

Jan. 8.-E. & A. St. Albans

Feb. 14.-E. & A. St. Albans

Mar. 14.-E. & A. St. Albans

FROM SEATTLE & VANCOUVER.

Nov. 8.-N.Y.K. Haruka Maru

3.-B.F. Glauco

2.-B.F. Glauco

34.-B.F. Glauco

FROM U.S.A.

Nov. 8.-A.O.L. Pros. Grant

FROM CAPTOWN.

Oct. 31.-N.Y.K. Haruka Maru

FROM LONDON.

Nov. 1.-P. & O. Elyan

4.-G.L. Glendeb

12.-P. & O. Elyan

13.-P. & O. Elyan

18.-P. & O. Elyan

27.-P. & O. Elyan

29.-G.L. Glendeb

Dec. 10.-G.L. Glendeb

11.-P. & O. Elyan

24.-P. & O. Elyan

FROM EUROPEAN PORTS.

Oct. 30.-P. & O. Elyan

31.-P. & O. Elyan

Nov. 6.-N.Y.K. Haruka Maru

7.-R.L. Santhia

17.-J.C.J.L. Tjibodas

Dec. 8.-N.Y.K. Haruka Maru

16.-J.C.J.L. Tjibodas

FROM MANILA.

Nov. 11.-M.M. Ancora

26.-M.M. Ancora

Dec. 12.-M.M. Ancora

15.-J.C.J.L. Tjibodas

23.-M.M. Ancora

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## "PUBLIC SERVICE"

Our stipendiary magistrates do well, when occasions arise, to pay tribute to those who perform acts of public service. Unfortunately the occasion too seldom recurs. More often than not the individual is moved to action when he has been placed in danger as the result of another's doings, and a prosecution has, more often than not, followed. In the more rare cases where the individual is not involved, but the community as a whole is concerned, the urge to act in the public interest becomes weak and is often ignored. Happily there are exceptions, and presentations made by the Government through the Police Department to those who have served the public interests by acts of personal courage witness to this fact. In other cases, a sense of civic pride has prompted others to take action to prevent wanton damage being done by trespassers, and to spend time in a police court to bear witness to what they have seen. It is this form of public service which is as worthy as any that can be made.

If such rare examples could be followed generally, crime statistics and the work of the police would be much lessened, and there would be a saving of the Colony's natural beauty, and a saving in

money, where, as sometimes happens, the work of depredation has to be made good. Whilst we are not advocates of the community forming itself into bands of what may be called "Peeping Toms"—there should be a quickening of the civic sense on the part of the members of all the communities. It is time, for instance, that the proper usage of rivers should be insisted on. There are byelaws, we believe, which decree that they shall be used for no other purpose than that of conveying human freight. Only once do we remember a case being voluntarily brought on a question of an infringement of this regulation. The street fountains are designed to save precious water during a famine. The waste of water on the part of unthinking users is a scandal and a shame. Of the bringing to book of "road hogs" there is nothing much to be said at this late stage. Those who act in a sense of righteous indignation in this connection do a service to the cause of what we may call clean motoring as well as to the general safety of those who have no desire to be propelled out of this world, or seriously injured, by a motor vehicle recklessly driven. Hitherto complaint has been made at the apathy of Chinese in coming forward to testify in cases of robbery and the like. The condemnation has alike been general and uncomplimentary. It has not shown much knowledge of Chinese psychology. It is probably easier to be brave outside a Chinese quarter of the city, than it is to be in one. Instruction in civic duty must come from the "elders" of the Chinese, and we should certainly like to see some action taken in this direction. But we are not certain that the foreign community as a whole accepts the implied obligation of citizenship, by being jealous of the privileges of citizenship.

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## SHAW'S WORK.

### INTERESTING UNIVERSITY LECTURE.

#### PLAYWRIGHT AND JOURNALIST.

Before a large and very appreciative audience, Prof. Simpson delivered a lecture on Wednesday night in the University Union Assembly Hall on "Bernard Shaw." Prof. J. Fenton presided at the meeting.

In his opening remarks, Prof. Simpson dwelt on the life of the great author who was born in 1856, pointing out his Socialist tendencies, his joining of the Fabian Society in 1884, and his activities both as a street-orator and as a pamphleteer. He took to journalism and criticised music and pictures. He found this too exacting and turned novelist but this resulted in failure and so he went on to play-writing. The theatre having fallen on evil days, producers were looking about for fresh blood and Ibsen succeeded in bringing out his "Doll's House." This gave the stimulus to Shaw came forward with "Widowers' Houses" which ran for two nights. In 1892, "The Philanderer" was written, but was found unsuitable for acting. Shaw's idea was to forsake the career of journalism and resort to writing plays of a new type.

#### NEW IDEAS.

Another reason is that the play is the natural evolution of the essayist—the trouble is that he seldom lives through this because of the strain. Shaw survived and was able to write plays giving the amplest scope for criticism. He aims more at the propaganda of new ideas through his prefaces and explanations of plays than through actors; for he believes theatre-goers are unable to think sufficiently. Careful descriptions of scenes and appearances of actors are given. This style has been rapidly followed by such great writers as Sir James Barrie, Galworthy and others.

Shaw being a follower of John Stuart Mills, did not believe much in intuition and tried to place before people the bare facts of life. Traditional feelings are attacked bitterly and rudely. Like all Victorians he is bent on forwarding Mill's Doctrine of Investigation.

#### "UNPLEASANT" PLAYS.

The first plays of Bernard Shaw were called the Unpleasant Plays. In "Widowers' Houses" he tried to treat on the economics of unearned incomes derived mainly from ill-constructed and poorly furnished houses let out to the poor. The socialists liked this but not so the independent income-earners.

"The Philanderer" treats of marriage and is without a plot whereas the third play, "Mrs. Warren's Profession," attacks the employment of women and the low pay in those days.

In the next series, the Pleasant Plays, "Arms and the Man" and three others, Bernard Shaw was greatly helped by William Archer who gave him good reviews and this seemed to be the bridge that admitted him into West-end London and Society.

Having given a general account of Shaw, the lecturer classified his plays on a theme basis. First come the economic plays; the "Widowers' Houses," "Mrs. Warren's Profession" and "Candida" falling into this class.

#### ON MARRIAGE.

On marriage, family life, and sentimental romance Shaw has incurred the hatred of many because of his way of disparaging family sentiments. "The Philanderer," "You Never Can Tell," "Getting Married," Miss Alliance and "Over-ruled" well express his feelings on these matters.

In his ambition to become a philosopher, Shaw wrote "Man and Superman," "Devil's Disciple," "Showing-up Blanche Postern," plays dealing with ethical problems. These show the influence of Ibsen and Fabianism. Of the historic plays many mistakes were pointed out in traditional accounts. Here Shaw tries to make history real and living. In this he was foreshadowed by Thackeray. In Caesar and Cleopatra he makes Caesar a wise thinking man; not the great general as he is usually depicted, and Cleopatra a mere flapper. In "The Man of Destiny," Napoleon is pictured as having been aided by good luck in his early campaigns. "The Devil's Disciple" is another of this class.

1886 is a blow to the romance of war and military glory. The play caused much offence, but the World War has proved its truth.

On science Shaw ridicules the modern tendency to take things without investigation. In his themes he tries to make people sceptical. "Back to Methuselah" violates all unities in play writing, commences in 4000 B.C. and ends up in 200 A.D. The theme centres on evolution especially the tendency for *laissez faire* in mechanical evolution. In the "Doctor's Dilemma" out of which extracts were read by the lecturer, Shaw tries to point out that specialists are ever prone to look for the diseases in which they specialise.

Phonetics form the subject of his theme in "Captain Brass Bound's Conversion" and "Pygmalion." On politics he does not seem to have written much. "Joan Bull's Other Island" treats of Ireland and Home Rule.

"How she lied to her husband" and "Press Cuttings" are two of his attempts at writing for exercise and amusement.

It is generally conceded in England, Austria and Germany that Shaw is the greatest writer of this age. It must be left to posterity to judge between the respective merits of Shakespeare and Shaw.

In conclusion, a few extracts were read from some of "Shaw's works" after which a vote of thanks was heartily accorded the lecturer.

## THEOSOPHICAL LECTURE.

### "GOD, OUR BROTHER MAN."

At the last Public Meeting of Hongkong Lodge of Theosophical Society, Mr. H. Laneport gave an address on "God, our Brother Man," one of the famous Sydney lectures of C. Jinarajadasa. He said in brief:—Looking down the ages, we find that there have been epochs in civilization when mankind for centuries found fascinating interest in the problems of God, of heaven and how to get there, and how man was to save his own soul. There was then very little suggestion in the way of change of human institutions, of general improvement, of social reform. Mankind's very great activities then were in connection with the Church. To-day, and during the last fifty years, a great change has come. Nearly all literature deals with man's activities in one or other of its phases. Suggestion after suggestion for bettering human conditions is there discussed. We see that a new era has begun where man is less interested in God and more in man. And the reason is that man has made a stupendous discovery, which is fundamentally changing his outlook upon life.

#### A LINK WITH DIRTY.

In religion man has been told that he was created by God and is therefore God's creature; but to-day he knows that his true relation to God is far more profound. He has discovered that his link with God is not only as a creature of God—a thing of clay which God has breathed into and made a living thing, but that he contains within himself Divinity and can manifest it, that man has revealed God and can always reveal Him. This knowledge of the Divinity in man has ever been proclaimed in the sacred mystical teachings and is brought out in the Indian philosophy of which it is an integral part. This was also once upon a time the teaching of the western religion of Christianity. To-day, the great Christian ideal is the salvation of the soul, but there were days when a complete ideal was presented—the *Defection of the soul*, that man should put on a Divine Vesture and partake of the nature of God. This teaching, as to the Divinity of Man slipped away from Christianity during the middle ages, but it has come back again.

#### CHANGE OF THOUGHT.

We find to-day that church after church is slowly nibbling at this idea that man exists not merely to be "saved" but to realise a more intimate relation to God as a Revealer of the divine nature. It is that supreme fact which anyone of you can ascertain for himself if you will step out of the deadening grooves of orthodoxy and accept the larger thought represented by Theosophy and the allied movements, which proclaim the new view of man.

There is a new hope for mankind because man is richer than we have thought him. As in India since ever the Gurus, the Teachers, was God incarnate; in Greece the youth said to Plato, "Arise, thou mortal, and follow me, for the immortal days of our life are the immortal days of our duty." The Master, we are told, makes

in the child, and each man, and each woman is slowly becoming to us the mirror of God. Mankind is beginning a great search for God in man, and there is scarcely one country in the world where the Theosophical idea of the Brotherhood of Man the Unity of Life and the Omnipresence of God is not becoming powerful in the press, on the platform and in the Churches. And the supreme advantage is that if we can gain some glimpses of God in another, we shall realise Him in ourselves.

#### RACIAL PREJUDICE.

But there are aspects of our civilization which prevent our discovering God, our Brother Man, and one of them is the prejudice of race and colour. God cannot be a respecter of persons, the God of the British Empire only. He must have such a tenderness, such a love for all that has come forth from Him that He is the God of ALL mankind. And if there is One God there is but One Humanity, and the distinctions of race and creed mean nothing at all to God. So then, if you would find God, you must tear this prejudice of race and colour from your eyes. Do not turn your back on life in any of its phases. The presence of God, and He alone, is in the lowest, in scenes of suffering, ignorance, degradation, as well as in the great and glorious deeds of Humanity. That does not mean that you must yourself sin, succumb to temptation. You cannot help the weaker if you sin as he does. But look at the weaker—the younger in the manifestation of the God within—not as having less of the divine nature, but as in some way struggling to rise out of the mire into the full realisation of his own Divinity. Do not stand away from him, because his robe is muddy and yours is clean. Rather be contaminated by his mud as you help him, because you are strong and he is weak, be one with him in your common Divinity. In these ways you will discover God, our Brother Man, and the supreme wonder of life is this, that out of a million faces, out of a thousand races, the great mystery, the wonder of God, is manifested. Open your eyes, my brothers, look at the streets, look at the faces of men, break through every prejudice which you have, look with clear vision on your brothers who are suffering, who are toiling, look on your brothers who are achieving, and you will see in their faces, and in the faces of little children, "God our Brother Man."

## TROOPS IN NORTH.

(Reuter's Service.)

Peking, Oct. 29.

Foreigners arriving from Hunan confirm the previous reports of serious internal conditions there. Vast numbers of troops in the Province—according to some estimates 300,000—are unpaid and badly fed and equipped and ill-disciplined. Most are still in summer clothing, as no winter uniforms are available. The people are suffering severely from requisitions, heavy taxation and looting by troops and bandits.

Drastic measures are employed to control the populace. Numbers of heads are hanging up at the stations of Kaifeng and Chengchow.

Yunnan Yuch Wei-chun is desirous of peace but may be forced by circumstances to join the civil war; and attack the neighbouring provinces in order to get rid of superfluous troops. Some sub-ordinates are desirous to join Wu Peifu; other to oppose him. Hence a coup d'état is possible at Kaifeng, followed by fighting within the province as a preliminary to operations against the neighbours.

#### WARSHIPS LEAVE TIENTAO.

Tientsao, Oct. 29.

A number of warships sailed from here yesterday, it is believed for Hainan; but local Chinese suspect their destination is Woosung Forts, which General Sun Chuan-fang is considerably strengthening. It is estimated that the Fengtien forces at Hsuechow total 70,000, besides ten aeroplanes and 1,500 White Russians. The allied forces, including General Bai Pao-shan's force, are about 60,000. A division of Fukien allied troops have arrived at Hangchow.

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## ALLEGED FRAUDS.

## CASE AGAINST AMERICAN MANAGER.

TO BE SENT TO SESSIONS.

The case against Mr. J. Edward Atherley, late manager of Messrs. Getz Bros. & Co. (of the Orient), Ltd., was proceeded with at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

Mr. D. H. Blake prosecuted. Messrs. W. B. Hind and A. E. Hall appeared for the defendant. Mr. R. A. Wadeson watched proceedings on behalf of the company concerned in the case.

The complainant, Chan Kanyan, again went into the witness box. A document was produced by him showing the sums paid into the bank, and he also identified the counterfoil of the Chartered Bank paying-in book, which it was his duty to fill up.

Mr. Hall objected to the admission of any book from the complainant's department.

Questioned by Mr. Blake, witness said that he had a conversation with defendant in March this year when he was asked to reserve \$1,500 and not to pay it into the bank. This money was for paying the cost of the passage money of defendant's wife, which he thought was to be paid by the firm. He did not enter the amount in the books, but kept the 1000 given by defendant. This money had not been repaid.

Answering further questions, witness said that he paid out to the defendant on his instructions sums amounting to over \$18,000 belonging to the firm. The money was paid through the cashier, and witness kept a list of the bills paid.

Mr. Hall reserved his cross-examination.

## Attorney's Evidence.

Mr. Charles John Kelley was next called. He said he was Vice-President of Getz Bros. & Co. of San Francisco and attorney for Getz Bros. & Co. (of the Orient), Ltd., Hongkong. During the past ten days he had been investigating the affairs of the company and found that moneys had been expended on bills not supported by promissory notes from dealers. On questioning the complainant he was advised that moneys had been paid by him and the dealers to the defendant.

An objection was made to this evidence, Mr. Hall contending that any conversation between witness and the complainant at which the defendant was not present was not admissible.

Continuing witness said that the complainant produced four checks for a total of approximately \$18,000. He questioned defendant regarding the checks and defendant admitted that he owed more than \$18,000. Defendant agreed to pay the money the following day. The conversation between him and defendant took place last Wednesday, Mr. L. L. Parkhurst, being also present. Defendant declined to discuss the matter further.

In answer to Mr. Blake, witness said that the firm's accounts were at present being audited by Messrs. Perry Smith, Seth and Fleming.

Mr. Hall reserved cross-examination of this witness.

Mr. Blake intimated that the cashier and two members of the staff had to give evidence and that it would be necessary for the auditor to give evidence as to the state of the accounts. The audit was not completed, and he asked, if His Worship was satisfied that there was a prima facie case and committed defendant for trial at the Sessions, that the auditor might be allowed to give evidence at the Sessions instead of at the Magistracy in order to avoid the case being postponed until the December Sessions.

Mr. Hall said he had no objection to this. His Worship agreed to this course being taken.

Mr. Blake applied for an order from His Worship to be allowed to inspect and take a copy of the defendant's banking account in the International Banking Corporation.

His Worship granted the application of Mr. Blake, who said that there were certain cheques passed through the Chartered Bank and he thought they were drawn on Mr. Atherley's private account. Therefore it would be interesting and very desirable to know what moneys he had received on various dates.

His Worship adjourned further hearing of the case until this afternoon.

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## MORE TO LEFT.

## FIGURES IN FRENCH CABINET.

CAILLAUX OMITTED.

(Reuter's Service.)

Paris, Oct. 29. The new Government is distinctly more to the Left than the outgoing one and consists of 18 Radicals, five Republican-Socialists, and three of the Radical-Left.

Apart from the disappearance of M. Caillaux, the most significant departure is Senator Chaumat who represented the Moderates in the Senate. His portfolio of Commerce is assigned to M. Daniel Vincent, ex-Minister under M. Poincare, who belongs to the Louchet group. It is announced that M. Chaumat will be appointed Governor of the Bank of France.

M. Herriot is represented by two of his principal lieutenants, M. Chautemps and M. D'Aladier. The former insisted on the portfolio of Justice which carries with it the Deputy-premiership. The most important feature is the division of the Finance Department in two sections, namely, the Treasury of which M. Painleve is the head, and the Budget which is entrusted on M. Bonnet, Under Secretary in the Premier's department in the last Cabinet.

All the new members of the Cabinet previously held office, except Senator Perrier, and all are Deputies, except four.

LIST OF POSTS.

Paris, Oct. 29.

The new Cabinet has been completed with M. Painleve as Premier and Minister of Finance, M. Briand as Foreign Minister, and M. Perrier, as Minister for the Colonies.

(Havas Agency.)

Paris, Oct. 29.

The Cabinet is now finally formed as under:— Premier and Finance, M. Painleve. Budget, M. Bonnet. Foreign Minister, M. Briand. Minister of Justice, M. Chautemps. Home Minister, M. Schrameck. Works Minister, M. De Monzie. War Minister, M. Daladier. Naval Minister, M. Borel. Minister of Commerce, M. Perrier. Minister of Agriculture, M. Durand. Minister of Instruction, M. Delbos. Minister of Colonies, M. Vincent. Minister of Labour, M. Durrand. Minister of Pensions, M. Antieron.

## CAIRO STIR.

## POLITICAL SOCIETIES DECREE.

(Reuter's Service.)

Cairo, October 29.

Consternation has been created by the royal decree compelling all political organisations to make declaration with regard to their headquarters and membership within a month.

A prominent politician speaking to Reuter declared it was a most reactionary step, likely to have the gravest results, and leading to the reappearance of secret societies.

He had reason to believe that the Zaghlulists, Liberals and Watanists, will ignore the decree and defy the Government.

The Opposition organ, "Al-Nasr," asks whether the new High Commissioner, Sir George Lloyd, is concerned in making the decree, which is calculated to drive the country towards revolution.

## MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

The C.P.S. R.M.S. "Empress of Canada" Capt. S. Robinson, C.B.E., R.N.R., Commander, left here for Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., via Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama, at noon to-day.

The P.L. s.s. "Gothic Prince" from New York sailed from Keelung on Oct. 28, and is expected to arrive here to-day.

The P. and O. s.s. "Rhiva" left Shanghai for this Port on Oct. 27 at 4 p.m., and is due here to-day.

The P. and O. s.s. "Kalyan" left Singapore for this Port on Oct. 27, at 6 a.m. with the outward English Mails, and is due here on November 1, at about daylight.

The B.I. s.s. "Santhia" left Singapore for this Port on Oct. 26, p.m., and is due here on November 1, p.m.

The E. & A. s.s. "St. Albans" left Moji for this Port on Oct. 28 at p.m., and is due here on Nov. 1, at about p.m.

The C.P.S. R.M.S. "Empress of Russia" left Yokohama yesterday at 2 a.m., and is due at Hongkong on Nov. 5.

## AMERICAN FARMS.

## IMMIGRATION FACILITIES REQUESTED.

CONFERENCE PROPOSALS.

(Reuter's American Service.)

Birmingham, Alabama, Oct. 29.

The conference of Governors of the Southern States has unanimously passed a resolution requesting Congress to amend the immigration laws to enable large groups of farmers to be brought from Europe to develop agriculture in the United States.

## RAISING THE WIND.

(Reuter's Service.)

Melbourne, October 29.

The Secretary to the Federal Treasury announces that subscriptions to the 'Conversion Loan' at present total \$57,000,000. When a further \$7,000,000 is received the loan will close.

## NEW CARDINAL.

(Reuter's Service.)

Rome, October 29.

Archbishop O'Donnell, of Armagh, is to be created a cardinal at the Consistory Court on December 15.

## CANTON PIRATES.

(Reuter's Service.)

JAPANESE STEAMER HELD UP.

News has reached Hongkong that the Japanese s.s. "Yei Maru" was pirated near Lin Fa Shan, Canton River, at 11.20 p.m. on October 24.

When anchored in the river, the ship was boarded by a gang from four launches which had no lights. After the crew had been overpowered, the safe was opened and about \$3,000 was stolen.

The appearance of lights in the distance is believed to have caused the pirates to make a hurried departure as they intended to unload the ship's cargo.

## EXCHANGE.

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Hongkong Sub. Coin 1 % dis.

## HONGKONG TIDE.

The tide-table given below has been compiled at the National Almanac Office in London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by means of an automatic tide-recording machine in the Water Police Basin at Tsim Sha Tsui during the years 1905-8. The zero of the table corresponds with the zero of the sounding in the Admiralty Chart, which has been found to be 4 feet 8 inches below mean sea-level. To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 8 feet 4 inches, and on the gauge at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet 4 inches to the height given in the table.

October 28 to November 3, 1925.

| HIGH WATER |        | LOW WATER |        |
|------------|--------|-----------|--------|
| Time       | Height | Time      | Height |
| Oct 28     | 10.15  | Oct 28    | 1.15   |
| Oct 29     | 10.15  | Oct 29    | 1.15   |
| Oct 30     | 10.15  | Oct 30    | 1.15   |
| Oct 31     | 10.15  | Oct 31    | 1.15   |
| Nov 1      | 10.15  | Nov 1     | 1.15   |
| Nov 2      | 10.15  | Nov 2     | 1.15   |
| Nov 3      | 10.15  | Nov 3     | 1.15   |

## LOCAL SHARE MARKET.

## OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

HONGKONG, OCTOBER 30, 1925, 10.30 A.M.

| Name                        | Hongkong Stock Exchange | Hongkong Sharebrokers Association | Share & Real Estate Brokers Society |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| T.T. on London              | 2/5 7/8                 | 2/5 7/8                           | 2/5 nom.                            |
| T.T. on Shanghai            |                         |                                   |                                     |
| Banks.                      |                         |                                   |                                     |
| Hongkong Bank               | \$1140 n.               | \$1140 s. 1135                    | \$1140 s.                           |
| do. London                  | \$130 n.                | \$130 s.                          | \$130 s.                            |
| Chartered Bank              | \$200 n.                | \$200 s.                          | \$200 s.                            |
| Mercantile Bank, A. & C.    | \$200 n.                | \$200 s.                          | \$200 s.                            |
| do. C.                      | \$200 n.                | \$200 s.                          | \$200 s.                            |
| P. & O. Bank                | \$80 n.                 | \$80 s.                           | \$80 s.                             |
| Bank of East Asia           | \$80 n.                 | \$80 s.                           | \$80 s.                             |
| Marine Insurance.           |                         |                                   |                                     |
| Canton Insurance            | 635 b.                  | 610 b.                            | \$620 b.                            |
| China Underwriters          | 220 sa.                 | 235 n.                            | 250 n.                              |
| North China Insurance       | T 140 n.                | T 140 n.                          | T 140 n.                            |
| Union Insurance             | 260 b.                  | 265 s.                            | \$255 n.                            |
| Yangtze Insurance           | 40 n.                   | 44 n.                             | 35 b.                               |
| Fire Insurance.             |                         |                                   |                                     |
| China Fire Insurance        | 200 n.                  | 200 n.                            | \$200 n.                            |
| H.K. Fire Insurance         | 600 b.                  | 590 n.                            | 590 b.                              |
| Shipping.                   |                         |                                   |                                     |
| Douglases                   | 40 n.                   | 35 s.                             | 40 n.                               |
| Hongkong Steamboats         | 22 1/2 sa.              | 24 n.                             | 24 n.                               |
| H.K. Tugs & Lighters        | 494 s.                  | 4 n.                              | 4 s.                                |
| Indo-China (Pref.)          | 38 n.                   | 30 n.                             | 37 n.                               |
| do. (Def.) Ltd.             | 70 n.                   | 50 n.                             | 65 s.                               |
| do. (H.K.)                  | 70 n.                   | 70 n.                             | 70 n.                               |
| Oriental Navigation         | \$255 n.                | 255 n.                            | 255 n.                              |
| Shell Transports            | 85 1/2 b.               | 86 b.                             | 90 1/2 s.                           |
| Star Ferries                | \$50 b 60 1/2 sa        | 60 b.                             | \$50 1/2 b.                         |
| Water-boats                 | 16 b.                   | 16 b.                             | 16 b.                               |
| Refineries.                 |                         |                                   |                                     |
| China Sugars                | 38 1/2 n.               | 38 s.                             | 38 b.                               |
| Malabon Sugars              | 48 n.                   | 40 s.                             | 50 n.                               |
| Mining.                     |                         |                                   |                                     |
| Benguets                    | 2 n.                    | 2 n.                              | 2 1/2 n.                            |
| Kailan Mining Ad.           | 50 1/2 n.               | 52 1/2 n.                         | 64 n.                               |
| Langkats (Combined)         | T 28 n.                 | T 29 b.                           | T 28 b.                             |
| do. (Single)                | 15 n.                   | 16 b.                             | 16 b.                               |
| Shanghai Exploration        | 8 n.                    | 5 1/2 b.                          | —                                   |
| Shanghai Loan               | 8 n.                    | 8 b.                              | —                                   |
| Rauba                       | \$3 b.                  | 54 n.                             | 4 s.                                |
| Tronoh Mines                | 67 1/2 b.               | 68 1/2 b.                         | 70 1/2 b.                           |
| Ural Caspian                | 8 1/2 n.                | —                                 | 7 1/2 b.                            |
| Docks, Wharves Godowns, &c. |                         |                                   |                                     |
| H.K. & K. Wharves           | \$142 n.                | \$140 n.                          | \$142 s.                            |
| H.K. & W. Docks             | 65 n.                   | 60 n.                             | 64 n.                               |
| Hongkew                     | T 170 n.                | T 170 n.                          | T 170 b.                            |
| New Engineerings            | 734 n.                  | T 734 n.                          | 734 b.                              |
| Shanghai Docks              | 115 b.                  | 115 n.                            | 114 b.                              |
| Lands, Hotels & Bldgs.      |                         |                                   |                                     |
| H.K. & S. Hotels (old)      | \$9 n.                  | \$9 1/2 n.                        | \$9 1/2 b.                          |
| do. (new)                   | —                       | —                                 | —                                   |
| Hongkong Lands              | 70 n.                   | 60 1/2 b.                         | 70 b. 70 sa.                        |
| H.K. Realty                 | 2 1/2 b.                | 2 1/2 n.                          | 3 s.                                |
| H.K. Territorials           | 7 s.                    | 7 1/2 n.                          | 7 s.                                |
| Humphreys Estates           | 16 n.                   | 16 n.                             | 16 1/2 s.                           |
| Princes Building            | 150 n.                  | 150 n.                            | —                                   |
| Rural Lands                 | 10 n.                   | —                                 | —                                   |
| Cotton Mills.               |                         |                                   |                                     |
| Ewo Cottons                 | T 9 b.                  | T 8 1/4 n.                        | T 9 b.                              |
| Oriental                    | 3 b.                    | 3 b.                              | 3 b.                                |
| Shanghai Cottons (old)      | 52 b.                   | 52 b.                             | 51 b.                               |
| do. (new)                   | 27 b.                   | 26 b.                             | 26 b.                               |
| Miscellaneous.              |                         |                                   |                                     |
| Canton Ices                 | \$7 1/2 n.              | \$7 s.                            | \$7 s.                              |
| Cements (comb.)             | 18 s.                   | 17 n.                             | 16 1/2 s.                           |
| do. (old)                   | 14 n.                   | 13 n.                             | 12 1/2 s.                           |
| do. (new)                   | 4 n.                    | 4 n.                              | 4 s.                                |
| China Buses                 | T 10 1/2 b.             | —                                 | —                                   |
| China Lights (comb.)        | \$22 1/2 s.             | 22 n.                             | 22 1/2 s.                           |
| do. (old)                   | 16 n.                   | 17 n.                             | 16 s.                               |
| do. (new)                   | 13 n.                   | 10 n.                             | 13 s.                               |
| China Prov. (comb.)         | 34 1/2 n.               | —                                 | 40 n.                               |
| do. (old)                   | 9 1/2 sa.               | 9 1/2 n.                          | 9 1/2 b. & sa.                      |
| do. (new)                   | 9 1/2 n.                | —                                 | —                                   |
| Dairy Farms                 | 10 1/2 b.               | 10 1/2 b.                         | 10 1/2 b.                           |
| Dea, A Wing (full pd.)      | 10 n.                   | 10 n.                             | —                                   |
| do. (part pd.)              | —                       | —                                 | —                                   |
| Hongkong Amusements         | 10 b.                   | 10 b.                             | —                                   |
| H.K. Constructions          | 4 n.                    | 2 b.                              | 5 s.                                |
| Hongkong Electrics          | 57 n.                   | 56 1/2 n.                         | 57 s.                               |
| H.K. Developments           | 50 cts. s.              | 40 cts. n.                        | 35 cts. s.                          |
| H.K. Ropes (comb.)          | 40 n.                   | 40 n.                             | 40 n.                               |
| do. (old)                   | 13 1/2 n.               | 14 n.                             | 14 n.                               |
| do. (new)                   | 8 1/2 n.                | 7 n.                              | 8 1/2 n.                            |
| Hongkong Tramways           | 26 n.                   | 26 1/2 n.                         | 26 1/2 n.                           |
| Lane, Crawford's            | 13 n.                   | 13 sa.                            | 13 1/2 s.                           |
| Macao Electrics             | 40 n.                   | —                                 | —                                   |
| Mackintosh                  | 21 1/2 n.               | —                                 | —                                   |
| Nanyang Tobaccos            | —                       | 12 b.                             | —                                   |
| Peak Trams (old)            | 15 b.                   | 15 s.                             | 15 1/2 s.                           |
| do. (new)                   | 5 n.                    | 5 s.                              | 4 s.                                |
| Singerees                   | 13 1/2 n.               | 11 s.                             | 11 s.                               |
| Singapore Trams             | —                       | 10 b.                             | —                                   |
| Taxis                       | 5 s.                    | 4 b.                              | 5 s.                                |
| United Asbestos             | 20 n.                   | —                                 | —                                   |
| do. (Founders)              | —                       | 600 n.                            | —                                   |
| do. (Ordinary)              | —                       | 18 n.                             | —                                   |
| Watsons (old)               | 16 s.                   | 13 b.                             | 16 s.                               |
| do. (new)                   | 15 s.                   | —                                 | —                                   |
| Wm. Powells                 | 14 s.                   | —                                 | 12 n.                               |

## SECRET INQUEST.

## MYSTERY OF A GROOM'S DEATH.

RECENT LEGACY.

Mystery surrounds the holding of an inquest at Loughborough, Leicestershire, on John Rippin, 61, a groom, of Bridge-street, Barrow-on-Soar, Loughborough. No reporters were present, and without divulging any reason, the coroner, Mr. J. H. Denne, adjourned the inquest until October 1.

Rippin was admitted to the Loughborough Hospital and died in his wife's presence. He is stated by neighbours to have suffered from violent sickness for a week before his death, and was found unconscious by the side of a house at the house of the employer, Mr. Holroyd, a Loughborough man. Rippin's wife is considerably younger than he was.

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VICTIMS OF BANDITS.

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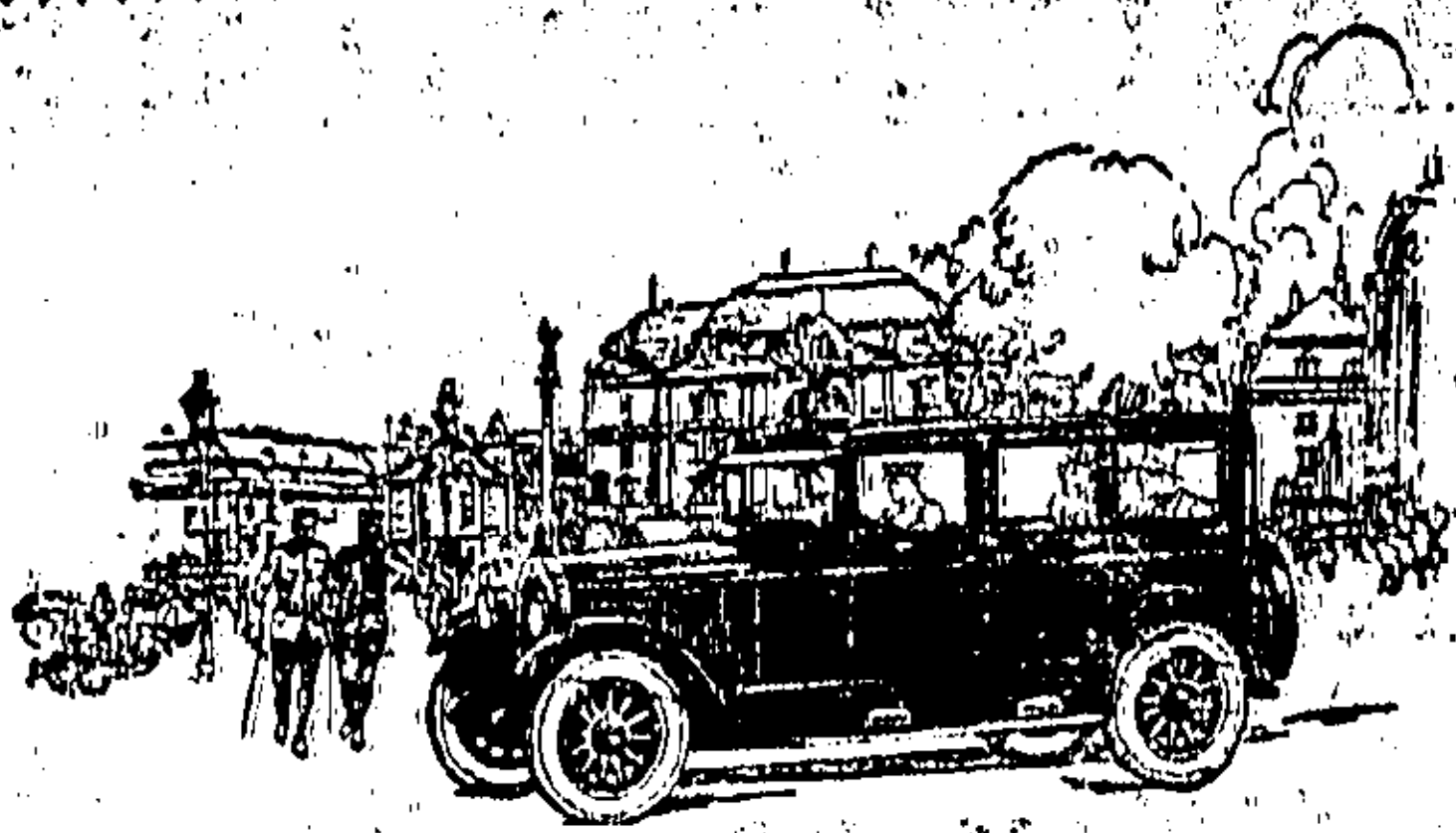
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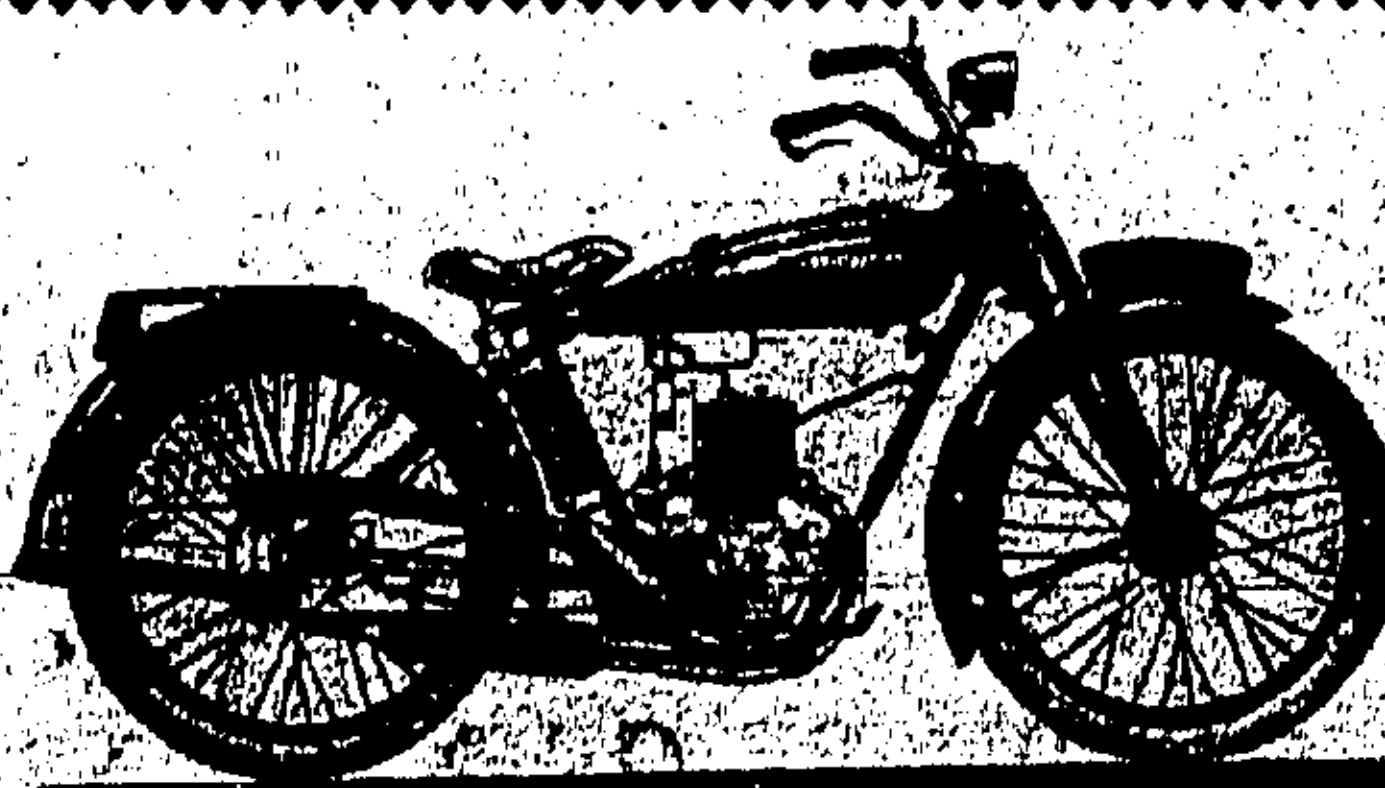
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The return of notifiable diseases for the 24 hours ended Wednesday shows one Chinese case of diphtheria.

The Hongkong A.D.C. will present "A Little Bit of Fluff," a screaming farce, on December 2, 3, 4 and 5, at 8.30 p.m. Plans will be open at Anderson's from Monday, November 2.

The usual Armistice night carnival dance will be held at the Hongkong Hotel next month. This popular event will doubtless, as on previous occasions, attract a large company. Evening or fancy dress is optional.

According to present arrangements, H.M.S. "Carlisle" will leave the Dockyard during the next few days, to carry out practices in Mts Bay, on completion of which she will proceed to sea on or about November 9.

Messrs. Cammell Laird, the Birkenhead shipbuilders, are to spend £250,000 on extending and rebuilding their old shipways. These slips are to be used to accommodate vessels building up to 500 ft. in length. This will mean increased work for more than 2,000 men.

The Canton Commissioner for Foreign Affairs notified—Martial Law has been declared in Boca Tigris, where mines have been laid and all vessels, on entering this Port, will be subject to examination and obtain a pilot from the Fumoon Fort Commander so as to avoid danger.

A red, blue, and white train is to be added to each of the four leading English railway companies' systems in November. It is to be an exhibition train which will make a year's tour through the country and visit 70 or 80 towns on market days in order to introduce British-made goods. Each train will consist of three carriages from 55 to 70 feet long. Stalls will be arranged down the corridors, and an expert demonstrator will be in charge of each section.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The forthcoming wedding is announced of Mr. James Gray Marshall of No. 29, Morrison Hill Road, to Miss Alice Ricarda Barretto, of Bowington Road.

Mrs. D. H. Cameron, wife of the General Manager of the Standard Oil Company in Hongkong, and daughter arrived in the Colony on the s.s. "President Lincoln" from America yesterday.

The Rev. P. B. Clayton, founder of Toc H, left Penang for Colombo by the Japanese steamer "Sava Maru" and was seen off by his brother Mr. R. J. B. Clayton, D.O., of Teluk Anson, and a number of other friends. At the meeting, in Penang Mr. Clayton said that he hoped that Toc H would be started there.

Mr. Edward Johnson, tenor of the Metropolitan Grand Opera Company of New York who passed through Hongkong during the early days of the strike, and his accompanist, Mr. Emil Zoller, have completed their world tour and are again in New York. Mr. Johnson spent some time in his villa at Florence, Italy, before returning to America.

While cruising along the coast of Tawitawi Island, Philippines, on the 8th inst. on the motorboat "Doa Amigos," Lieutenant J. A. Bond, of the U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, was attacked by a crocodile. He sustained a compound fracture and a badly lacerated wound on the left leg. His life was saved by the coolness and quick action of a Constabulary soldier who acted as his guide.

The farewell address delivered by His Excellency the Acting Governor, Mr. Cecil Clementi, at the meeting of the Royal Asiatic Society is sufficient indication of the loss which philological study in the island has sustained owing to the fact that his official duties did not permit Mr. Clementi the leisure to take up the task of learning Sinhalese. Mr. Clementi is one of the foremost linguists of the day, and if he had been able, as he would undoubtedly have been in a very short space of time, to learn the Sinhalese language, he should have had another added to the number of those really capable of investigating the linguistic problems of Ceylon and India.

The "Empress of Russia" which left Yokohama at 8 o'clock yesterday morning is due in Hongkong on November 5.

The "Bulletin" of the American Chamber of Commerce in London reports that the master of an American vessel recently expressed astonishment at the many outlandish places which his crew demanded to visit when the ship was in a British port. He finally discovered that each man wanted to visit the spot which was the original home of his ancestors.

At a meeting in Glasgow of the Scots National League it was stated that the league would probably put forward candidates at the next general election, and that these candidates would be pledged, if returned, not to go to Westminster and not to take their seats in the British Parliament sitting in London. The claims of Scotland to have a Parliament of its own were strongly urged. It was remarked that during the present year only two days, or about 16 hours in all, had been devoted to Scottish affairs. Scotland, it was urged, would be much better off industrially and economically if allowed to manage its own affairs.

The Free State possesses in the Abbey Theatre what is believed to be the first and only state endowed theatre, in any English-speaking country. The Free State has granted it an annual subsidy of \$3,500. William Butler Yeats, the poet and Nobel prize winner, hopes that America will follow the example, thus imitated in the Free State, since theatres are an important part of national education and where not endowed may have to lower their quality through the struggle for existence. Mr. Yeats says there is no European country where the plays produced in the Abbey Theatre have not been performed, and some of them have even been translated into Oriental languages.

Kings and commoners, princes and princesses of nine royal houses, and hundreds of subjects of the Italian Crown, joined in rejoicing over the marriage of Princess Mafalda, daughter of the King, and Prince Philip of Hesse.

Mr. A. W. Hay has been appointed to act as an extra assistant Protector of Chinese, Singapore, in addition to his own duties as Officiating Second Assistant Director of Education for Chinese Schools, Straits Settlements.

Kikujii Ishijima, an employee of the Ogawa Printing Shop at Tatamicho, Kyobashi, has been given first prize for his essay on thrift and postal savings which was submitted to the Postal Savings Bureau. His essay was selected out of more than 1,300 articles submitted.

Praise for Japan and the Japanese people featured the farewell luncheon to Nathaniel B. Stewart, American Consul-General, who is leaving Tokyo for an advanced post at Constantinople. The farewell luncheon was given at the Imperial Hotel. The America-Japan Society was the host.

On the sacred heights of Koya San, where the Buddhist Saint Kobo Daishi founded the Kongobu temple and monastery more than 11,000 years ago, the ashes of the Honorable Mrs. Elizabeth A. Gordon have been laid to rest. Mrs. Gordon, a British subject, died in Kyoto on June 27 last, leaving directions that half of her ashes should be buried on Koya San, and half in the Diamond Mountains, Korea. Since, however, no burials whatever are permitted at the latter place, they were all interred on Koya San.

Robert Taylor, African prince, and son of the late paramount chief of the Mendis tribe, is working as a labourer in the employ of the Corporation of the Corporation of Sunderland. Taylor would now have been king had he remained in his native country. He preferred a life of adventure, however, and after service in native regiments under the British, and also the Germans in the Cameroons, he became a sailor and led a roving life. A prominent preacher in the Salvation Army, his ambition is to return to his people as a missionary.

A record run of 87 days 22 hours, from Liverpool to Melbourne—roughly 11,000 miles—was made by the Blue Funnel cargo s.s. "Autolyceus," 7,718 tons, which arrived recently in Hobson's Bay.

An interesting "wanted" advertisement has been seen. "Wanted, a fieldman for a motor sales agency." This, presumably, is the gentleman who catches the customers out—if successful he, no doubt, becomes a long-stop.

No more tricky task falls to the lot of the working journalist than framing those few crisp descriptive lines which go beneath an illustration. When the journalist to whom this duty fell, in preparing for press the last number of a certain trade paper, set out to epitomise the Bank of England in a few snappy lines his effort was a praiseworthy one. It touched on its historic significance, its importance in the financial scheme of things, and mentioned its rebuilding, but, unfortunately—it was a photograph of the Royal Exchange.

A Melbourne man found himself in the courts over some trifling business losses. Asked by the solicitor for the other side how it was, if, as he said, he had no means to pay his debts, he could go golfing every day, he said a friend had paid his golf club subscription and that other friends lent him their golf clubs. He also admitted he had done some shooting, but the gun he used belonged to a brother, to whom also belonged the new suit he was wearing. Pressed further, he said that the motor-car he sometimes drove was his cousin's. The only possessions the debtor seemed disposed to admit were his own, and not supplied by obliging relatives and friends, were a wife and eight children. And he mentioned these with an air that suggested that the hard-hearted creditor could have the lot if he wanted them.

Makoto Hagiwara, for 30 years superintendent of the Japanese Tea Garden in Golden Gate Park, San Francisco, died last month at the age of 71. Mr. Hagiwara was nationally known as a landscape architect and had laid out many Japanese gardens in America.

Mr. Richard F. Stephen, manager of the Kobe office of W. M. Strachan and Company, committed suicide at his residence at No. 3 Kitanocho, 1-chome. His relatives attribute his act to momentary insanity due to business worries which followed the failure of several trusted and important clients.

Mr. Wallace Wilson, familiarly known as "Woody" Wilson, formerly in the Shanghai office of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, returned to Shanghai from America and assumed the position as secretary of the American Club. He succeeds Mr. O. H. Smith, who with Mrs. Smith, intends to return to the States.

A woman correspondent writes that she and her friends are hoping to spend the "little season" in the Cornish Riviera—their object being to get plumper. A tactful inquiry brought the information that winter fashions demand more curves and fullness—and cream is to be the means. Certainly fashion is responsible for "more than meets the eye."

The popular belief that all possible jokes about woman and her inability to understand the mysteries of a checking account at the bank had been already told has just been discovered in London to be untrue. The higher education of women, flavoured with a dash of Darwin, seems to be to blame this time. It appears that a London matron, Mrs. Brown, had just been provided with a bank account. On the first occasion when she went to make a deposit, she came to the word "specie" on the deposit slip. She considered for a moment and then entered against it—*"Female!"*

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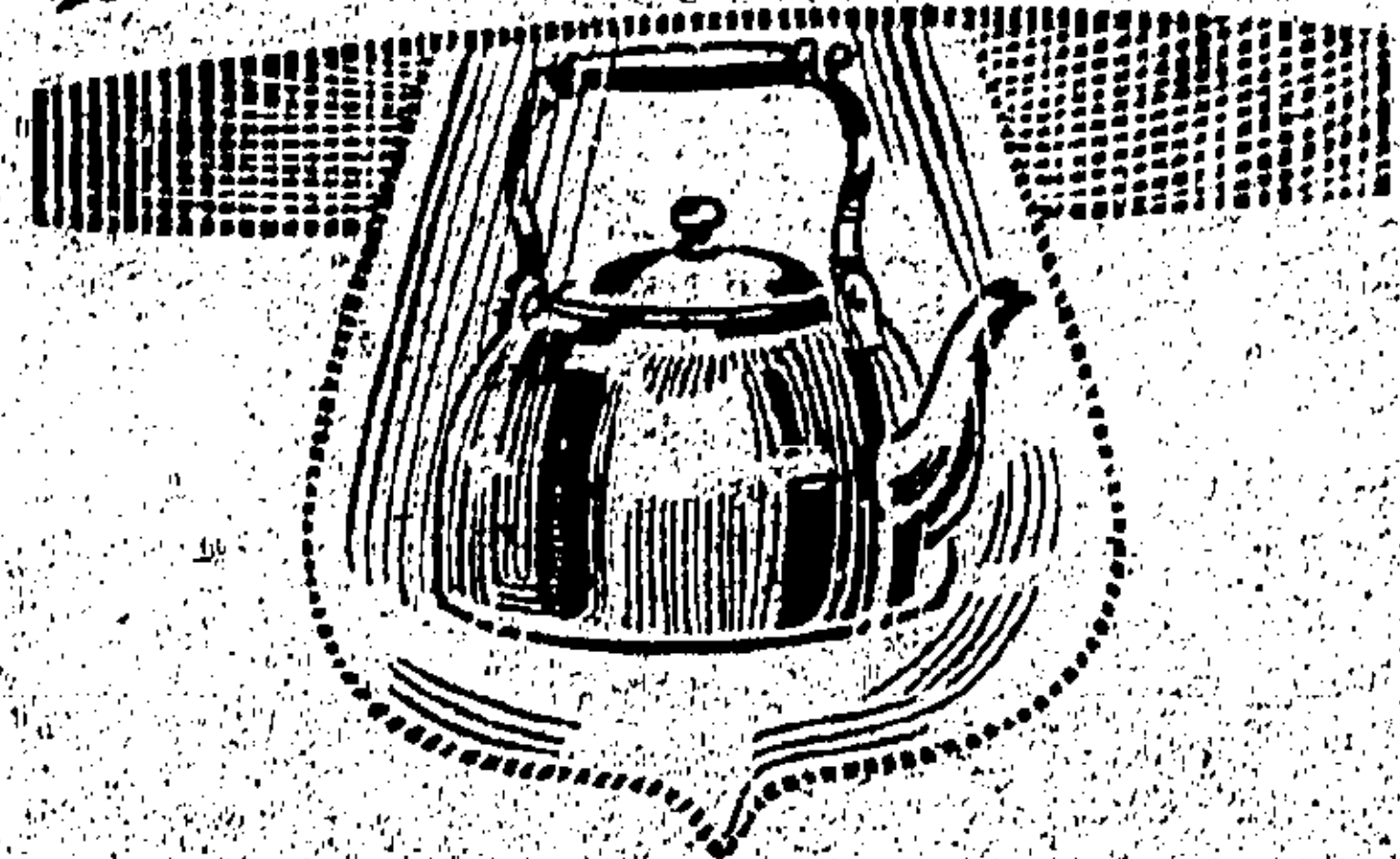
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# "CHINA MAIL" SPORTS PAGE

## CHARITY SOCCER.

LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE MATCHES.

WHEN 'BIG GUNS' BOOM.

[By Dutchie.]

Hongkong's football public will be interested to hear when the big local representative matches will be played off. Selected teams will appear for the special occasions this season.

On Wednesday the Football Council met and the following draws were made:

LAI WAI CUP.

November 28, Army v. Civilians, on the H.K.F.C. ground.

December 12, Navy v. Chinese, at Sookumpoo.

Date of final will be fixed later.

"SUNDAY HERALD" CHARITY CUP.

The draw for this international competition is—

South China v. England, at the H.K.F.C. ground, kick-off at 11 a.m. on Christmas Day (December 25).

Portugal v. Scotland, kick-off at 4 p.m. on Boxing Day (December 26).

(The final in this competition will also be arranged later).

ARMISTICE DAY GAME.

The Football Association has consented to run a charity game on Armistice day (November 11), in aid of Earl Haig's fund for disabled and distressed ex-servicemen.

This match will be played on the Club ground between teams representing the Services and Civilians. Time of start, 4 p.m. sharp. Prices of admission will be 50 cents to the covered stand and 30 cents to the uncovered stand, all to pay.

The following have been selected to represent the Civilians:—

Roger (Club); Wynne (Police); captain, Chan So (S.C.A.A.);

Leung Yuk-tong (S.C.A.A.); MacKelvie (Kowloon); Duncan (Kowloon); Cornwall (Police);

Forsyth (Club); Gosano (Club de Recreo); Suen Kam-shun (S.C.A.A.); and Mason (Kowloon).

Reserves:—Bishop (Club); Watson (Club); Hayes (Kowloon); and Chan Kwong-ku (S.C.A.A.) Colours, white and blue.

## PRINCE GEORGE.

TO COMPETE IN POLO GYMKHANA.

ENTERED IN 3 EVENTS.

H.R.H. Prince George, who is now in the Colony serving as Sub-Lieut. on H.M.S. "Hawkins," has entered for three events in tomorrow's Polo Gymkhana at Causeway Bay, details of which are given in the "Week-end Sports Budget" on this page.

The Prince's name is entered in the Polo Race, the Musical Chairs and the Victoria Cross Race. His partner in the first-named event is Lieut. Edmondstone, R.N.

## MILITARY SPORT.

AMATEUR BILLIARDS FINAL.

1/Cpl. McBride (Royal Corps of Signals) beat Gr. Rowlands, R.A., by 500 points to 336, in the final at the Soldiers' Club last night, of the amateur military billiards championship for Sir Paul Chater's challenge cup.

Colonel G. Russell-Brown, R.E. (acting G.O.C.) gave away the prizes and also the trophies in other billiard competitions.

Other prizes included:—

Highest break in the competition: Sergt. Blondin, R.E. (84).

Semi-finals: Sergt. Histed (East Surrey Regiment), L/C. Bendall (R.A.O.C.).

Hongkong Volunteer Challenge Cup (8-a-side): Winner, Royal Engineers; runners up, D.E., R.A.

Highest break: Sergt. Pedder R.A. (60).

There were present at the match and presentation: Major R. S. S. Pulton, East Surrey Regiment (President of the Garrison Recreation Club); the Garrison Officer Commanding, A.D.C., Lieut. Johnson (Durham Light Infantry); Major Raableigh, D.S.O., R.A., and Capt. Joll, M.C., R.A.

Attention is drawn to an advertisement in this issue regarding booking of meals and rooms at the Filling golf clubhouse.

The Police league football team v. B.A. to-morrow is:—Clark; Wynne; Byron; Brittain; Oram; Randle; Cornwall; East, Dr. Valentine; Johnson; Noonan.

## WEEK-END SPORTS BUDGET.

### LOCAL SOCCER.

TEN LEAGUE GAMES FOR TO-MORROW.

AMENDED FIXTURE LIST.

League football matches for to-morrow are given in the table below.

The programme is not full owing to the Hongkong Football Club ground being given over to athletic sports.

DIVISION I.

Club de Recreo v. H.M.S. "Tamar," on Kowloon ground, at 4.30 p.m.

Police v. Royal Artillery, on S.C.A. ground, at 4.30 p.m.

South China v. Kowloon, on Sookumpoo, "A" ground at 4.30 p.m.

DIVISION II (SEC. A.)

Club de Recreo v. South China "A" on S.C.A. ground, at 3 p.m.

St. Joseph's College v. Royal Artillery, on Sookumpoo "B" ground, at 3 p.m.

Drummers v. Surrey's Reserves, on Sookumpoo "A" ground, at 3 p.m.

DIVISION III (SEC. B.)

Drummers Reserves v. St. Joseph's Boarders, on St. Joseph's ground, at 3 p.m.

Club de Recreo v. S.C.A. "C" on Kowloon ground, at 3 p.m.

Moslem "A" v. St. Joseph's Reserves, on Navy "A" ground, at 4.30 p.m.

University v. Moslem "B," on Sookumpoo "B" ground, at 4.30 p.m.

### SCOTTISH SPORTS.

TO-MORROW'S EVENTS IN DETAIL.

"KEE CHEONG" CUP.

For the first annual inter-platoon sports for the "Kee Cheong" Cup (presented by Mr. R. G. Shewan) of the Scottish Company, Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, the programme of the meeting to-morrow, at the Hongkong Football Club ground (Happy Valley) is:—

2.30 p.m. Final, 100 yards.  
2.45 p.m. High Jump.  
3.00 p.m. Long Jump.  
3.15 p.m. Final, 220 yards.  
3.30 p.m. 120 yards hurdles.  
3.40 p.m. Putting the Shot.  
4.15 p.m. 440 yards.  
4.30 p.m. Tug of War.  
4.45 p.m. 440 yards, open.  
4.55 p.m. 880 yards.  
5.05 p.m. Band race.  
5.15 p.m. Relay race.

### POLO CLUB.

GYMKHANA TO OPEN SEASON.

TO-MORROW'S EVENTS.

To open the season—in view of the interport match with Shanghai having fallen through—the Polo Club is holding a gymkhana to-morrow at the polo ground, Causeway Bay.

The programme is:—

3.30 p.m.—4 chukker polo match, Club v. Army.

5.00 p.m.—Victoria Cross Race.

Polo Ball Race.

Ladies' Nomination.

Musical Chairs.

Balacava Melée.

The band of H.M.S. "Hermes" will be in attendance, and tea will be provided by Messrs. Wiseman's. Mrs. C. Russell-Brown will give away the prizes.

### LOCAL GOLF.

The competition for the St. John of Jerusalem and the British Red Cross Society trophy commences on Sunday (November 1) at Fanling and lasts during the whole month.

Entries for the Governor's Shield (inter-hong competition) close at 9 a.m. on Monday, November 2.

Readers of the "China Mail" sports page are invited to send to the Sports Editor, not later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, copies for publication in the Budget.

### CRICKET VENUS.

DETAILS OF SATURDAY'S MATCHES.

OUTCASTS' FIRST GAME.

The cricket programme for to-morrow, commencing at 2 p.m. in each case, includes league matches in both divisions between the Kowloon Cricket Club and the Italian Recreation Club. The other encounters, are all in the nature of "friendly" games, and one that should draw a large crowd to the Hongkong Cricket Club ground is the meeting between the "Club Outcasts" and the East Surrey Regiment.

The matches and venues are as under:—

Kowloon C.C. 1st XI v. Indian R.C. 1st XI (League) on the K.C.C. ground.

Indian R.C. 2nd XI v. Kowloon C.C. (League) on the I.R.C. ground.

"Club Outcasts" v. East Surrey, on the H.K.C.C. ground.

University 1st XI v. Royal Artillery on the University ground.

Chinese R.C. v. Royal Engineers on the C.R.C. ground.

Police R.C. v. University 2nd XI on the P.R.C. ground.

Craigengower C.C. v. H.M.S. "Hawkins" on the C.C.C. ground.

The following will play for the Craigengower C.C. in their match with H.M.S. "Hawkins":—D. Fritz (capt.), F. Grimes, R. C. Reed, A. Hamson, E. Fincher, E. Hamson, A. Kitchell, F. Schnepel, E. Mowfung, S. Abbas, M. Pinna.

In the friendly game between the Civil Service C.C. and the Royal Navy, the former will be represented by the following:—

F. J. de Rome (capt.), G. R. Sayer, E. B. Reed, H. G. Wallington, F. E. Lawrence, F. J. Ling, E. W. Hamilton, B. D. Evans, E. C. Fincher, F. Baker, F. H. Holdman, Reserves:—W. H. Edmonds, B. Hawkins.

The "Club Outcasts" team to oppose the East Surreys will be:—

R. E. A. Webster (capt.), H. J. Armstrong, A. C. I. Bowker, G. T. Fowle, G. F. Gardner, H. E. Hollands, P. Jacks, G. P. Lammet, B. N. H. Oliver, D. H. Sherman, E. N. Young.

The Indian Recreation Club 1st XI representatives travelling to Kowloon for the league game will be:—A. H. Rumjahn, A. H. Madar, A. el Arculli, F. M. el Arculli, J. S. A. Durruem, O. Ismail, S. H. Ismail, S. A. Ismail, H. D. Rumjahn, U. M. Omar (capt.), N. B. Kitchell.

At Sookumpoo, the 2nd XI (league match) v. Kowloon is:—

J. Akbar, J. Cassumbhoy, I. Hassan, A. S. Ismail, S. A. R. Ismail (capt.), M. P. Madar, Y. A. Wahab, S. A. Rumjahn, R. Nazarin, A. S. Suffad and D. A. Razack. Scorer, A. O. Madar.

The following will represent the University 1st XI in a friendly match against the Royal Artillery C.C. on the Home ground:—A. A. Rumjahn (capt.), Rev. E. K. Quick, A. S. Hett, H. N. Balhetchet, Dr. D. K. Samy, S. O. Shahabudin, S. Hashima, D. Laing, W. H. Shing, C. W. Lam and B. P. Ng.

The following will represent the University 2nd XI in a friendly match against the Police R.C. at the Police ground, Happy Valley:—

B. N. Sudan (capt.), E. Zimmern, W. M. Gittins, V. F. R. Viccaje, A. T. M. Barma, Y. C. Teh, C. H. Yeoh, R. Chan Wah, I. Tajima, C. K. Ong, and F. Hiptoola.

### LAWN BOWLS.

SINGLES AND PAIRS FINALS.

At 2.45 p.m. to-morrow, the finals in the singles and pairs bowls championship of the Colony will be played off at the Civil Service Cricket Club's rink, Happy Valley.

Mrs. D. Gow will give away the prizes, including the Spey Cup won by the Kowloon Bowling Green Club.

The finalists in the singles are W. Wotherspoon (Taihook) and F. Cullen (Kowloon Dock R.C.).

Those left in the pairs competition are the Police R.C. and the Taihook R.C.

## HOW DID HE DO IT?

BATSMAN'S 188 RUNS OUT OF 190!

A.P.F. CHAPMAN'S FEAT.

London, Sept. 21.

A.P.F. Chapman, the amateur left-hand batsman of England and Kent, has been guilty of assault and battery of three or four members of the Elham Division of Kent County Constabulary, meaning, of course, the bowlers of the police-man's cricket team. It was a twelve-a-side match at Hythe.

Elham Division scored 151, and Chapman's position in the batting order of his side—Hythe Brewery—was No. 4. Bateman 1, 2, 3 obtained cyphers. Bateman 5, 8 and 7 did the same. Bateman 8 was run out for 1; 9 and 10 were run out for one run less.

Number eleven scored 9, and the last man 4 not out. But the Brewery won, for while these eleven cricketers were obtaining seven runs, Chapman obtained 188. He was batting 70 minutes, and at the end of the whirlwind the Brewery team chaired their captain to the pavilion—amidst scenes of great enthusiasm. They certainly owed something to their captain. Whether he was hitting while his colleagues were coming and going is not stated.

## WHAT IS SEEN.

RACE PONIES' FORM IN PADDOCK.

RIGHTS OF PUBLIC.

Hongkong's racing public may be interested in the following remarks of "The Early Bird" in the "Shanghai Sunday Times" of October 18:—

"It is a pity that whilst a paddock has been constructed at Kiangwan with the usual two rings for walking ponies that no use seems to be made of it, and until it is made compulsory to exhibit ponies in the paddock before a race it does not look as though it will be used. In courses at home it is compulsory, horses only being exempted by the stewards in exceptional circumstances, it being recognised that the public who support the racing have the right to see the horses before a race and form a judgment as to their condition."

## NOT FOR PRIZES.

CHINESE Y.M.C.A. INDOOR SPORTS.

"FOR SPORT'S SAKE."

Based on this year's motto "Sport for sport's sake and not for prizes," the fifth annual indoor sports of the Chinese Y.M.C.A. were held on Wednesday when the first home won ribbons.

Mr. S. C. Yeung, chairman of the physical department, was in charge.

Results were:—

One Lap:—1 Li Fu-yau; 2 Leung Ju-choi; 3 Ko Sik-cheun. Time, 7-3/5 sec.

Standing Broad Jump:—1 Lau Tak-kwong; 2 Leung Ju-choi; 3 Mak I-hon.—3 feet 11 1/2 inches.

18 Feet Rope Climb:—1 Lau Tak-kwong; 2 Ko Sik-cheun; 3 Li Fu-yau. Time, 7-3/5 sec.

Standing Hop, Step and Jump: 1 Leung Ju-choi; 2 Tang Ki-cheung; 3 Lau Tak-kwong.—25 feet 8-1/5 inches.

Two Laps:—1 Lau Tak-kwong; 2 Li Fu-yau; 3 Ko Sik-cheun. Time, 15-4/5 sec.

Chinning the Bar:—1 Mak I-hon and Lo Sik-cheun; 2 Lau Tak-kwong; 3 Li Fu-yau.—17 times.

12 lbs. Shot Put:—1 Kan Man-hon; 2 Leung Ju-choi and Tang Ki-cheung; 3 Yeung Chi-kuen.—27 feet 1-1/2 in.

Running High Jump:—1 Leung Ju-choi and Li Fu-yau; 2 Tang Ki-cheung; 3 Lau Tak-kwong.—5 feet 1 in.

440 Yards' Race:—1 Fung Kwok-wah; 2 Lau Tak-kwong; 3 Li Fu-yau. Time, 1 min., 11 sec. (record).

The following will represent the St. Joseph's College Reserves in a League football (div. II, sec. B) match against the Moslem "A" on the Navy (B) ground to-morrow:—

J. Paul; J. Houghton; J. Ng; J. Delgado, Hugh Lim, L. Castilho; C. Hachima, Tai Yew-ai, J. Cruz, K. M. Omar, A. Rahmin (capt.).

The following will represent the Hongkong Hockey Club "A" in a match v. University "A" at 6 p.m. sharp at Sookumpoo to-day:—

A. J. Frank, L. H. Kearns (capt.), S. H. Garrod, L. M. S. Lloyd, W. H. Locke, W. S. Gerrard, W. H. Newman, H. J. Armstrong, K. L. Thomson, T. D. Sanderson, E. F. Stewart.

## "MOST IMPROPER."

MAGISTRATE AND SOLICITOR'S REMARK.

KOWLOON STORE SUMMONS.

Mr. D. McCallum, appearing for the manager of the Kowloon Store, was rebuked at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday by Mr. E. W. Hamilton who termed a remark he made as "most improper" and discourteous to the Court.

Mr. McCallum's client was summoned in respect of the quality of vinegar sold at his store and stated that the Inspector who bought the vinegar for analysis was told by the foks before he declared himself as an Inspector desirous of taking a sample that the vinegar he asked for was cooking vinegar and of Chinese manufacture. The Inspector had first been offered Morton's vinegar but had especially asked for the other.

For the prosecution it was pointed out that the vinegar, even if it was not a well-known brand and of Chinese manufacture, had on it a label marked "pure vinegar." Inspector Hooper who bought the vinegar was emphatic in his evidence that he had not been told the vinegar was for cooking purposes, until he had declared himself as an Inspector.

It was whilst his Worship was referring to this evidence in his final summing up that Mr. McCallum let fall the remark in question, this being "it makes me proud to be a white man." The remark followed the comment by his Worship that he could not believe that the Inspector was not telling the truth.

His Worship stated that the remark was most improper and he trusted that Mr. McCallum would withdraw it. Under the circumstances he did not think that he could come to any decision and would postpone judgment.

After a considerable pause, his Worship, addressing Mr. McCallum, said that he had been somewhat discourteous to the Court and trusted that Mr. McCallum would feel of the same opinion.

Mr. McCallum: I shall make an adequate apology, your Worship.

The case was adjourned till this afternoon.

## RIVER ROUTES.

ONLY ONE PASSAGE TO KONGMOON.

In view, it is believed, of urgent military developments, only one passage remains open to Kongmoon. The following message was received by the Harbour Office last night:—

"In the Kongmoon and Moto-moon areas, all communication has completely ceased and there is only one route by which vessels may proceed to Kongmoon. Namely:—Kongmoon."

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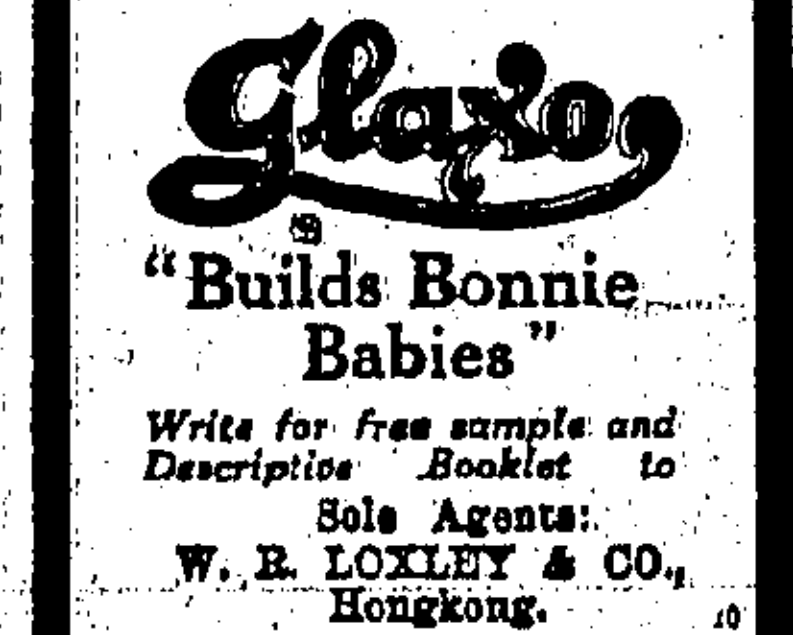
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**THE WEEK'S ORDERS.**

**Part I. ARTILLERY COMPANY.**

City Section parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 3. Dress: Mufti.

Talkoo Section parade at Talkoo at 5.15 p.m. on Friday, November 6. Dress: Mufti.

**ENGINEER COMPANY.**

All Sections parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, November 2. Dress: Mufti.

Field Section: A lecture for N.C.O.'s (more particularly Field Co. N.C.O.'s) and others interested will be given at Corps Headquarters on Thursday, November 5, at 5.30 p.m. Subject: "Bridging and Bridging Expedients."

Signal Section parade at Corps Headquarters from 5.30 to 6.30 p.m. on Thursday, November 5, for Buzz Practice. Dress: Mufti.

Light Section parade at Belcher's Fort for D. E. L. Runs from 6 to 11 p.m. on Thursday, November 5. Dinners will be provided by the Corps. Dress: Caps, tunics, long trousers and belts, no side-arms.

**ARMOURD CAR COMPANY.**

Parade as follows:—

Monday, November 2, at 5.45 p.m. at Corps Headquarters. Full Parade for all Sections when a lecture will be given on Camouflage by Sergt. Instructor Hancock. Dress: Mufti.

Wednesday, November 4, at 5.30 p.m. at Corps Headquarters. Gunner N.C.O.'s under Sergt. Instructor Hancock.

Musketry Part I. will be fired at the Peak Range on Sunday, November 1, at 9 a.m. Range Officer: 2nd-Lieut. F. N. Young.

Dress: Uniform optional, but rifles, bayonets and pouches must be taken.

Arms: Rifles and bayonets must be drawn from Headquarters on Friday, October 30, between 10 a.m. and 12 noon, or 2 and 4 p.m., or 5 and 6 p.m., and on Saturday, October 31, between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.

This is the last opportunity for members of the A.C. Co. who have not yet fired or qualified in Part I. to attend.

**INFANTRY COMPANY.**

N.C.O.'s Class parade at Corps Headquarters on Monday, November 2, at 5.30 p.m. Parades as detailed by Platoon Commanders.

No. 4 Platoon: Musketry Part II. will be fired at Stonecutters Range on Sunday, November 1. Range Officer: 2nd-Lieut. R. R. Davies, M.C., M.M.

Launch will leave Murray Pier at 9 a.m. and call at Kowloon Pier at 9.10 a.m.

Dress: Uniform optional, but rifles, bayonets and pouches must be taken.

Arms: Will be drawn as detailed for Armoured Car Company.

**SCOTTISH COMPANY.**

No. 5 Platoon: Parade in front of Talkoo Dockyard Offices on Monday, November 2, at 5.15 p.m. Landscape Targets: Indication and Recognition of Targets. Fire Orders.

Sports: Heats of 100 and 220 yards will be run off on the Hongkong Football Club ground, Happy Valley, on Friday, 30th inst. at 5.15 p.m.

Halloween Dinner: Dress for members of Scottish Company: Tunic, kilt, sporran, diced hose, flashes, spats and gungarry, belt without side arms or frog.

Guests: Dress optional but it is hoped that all members of Defence Corps attending the dinner will do so in uniform.

Pipe Band will assemble at Corps Headquarters every Monday and Friday at 6 p.m. for practice.

Real Club will meet as usual for practice on Wednesday, November 4 at 5.45 p.m.

Part II. Musketry Course will be fired at Stonecutters Range on November 8.

Range Officer: 2nd-Lieut. K. S. Morrison.

Launch will leave Murray Pier at 9 a.m. and call at Kowloon Pier at 9.10 a.m.

Dress: Uniform optional, but rifles, bayonets and pouches must be taken.

Arms: Rifles and bayonets must be drawn from Headquarters on Friday, November 6, between 10 a.m. and 12 noon, or 2 and 4 p.m., or 5 and 6 p.m., and on Saturday, November 7, between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Musketry Part I. will be fired at Peak Range on Sunday, November 15. All those who have not yet fired or qualified should attend since this is the last opportunity of firing.

Dress: Optional, but rifles, bayonets and pouches must be taken.

Arms: Will be drawn as detailed for Part II. on Friday and Saturday, November 13-14.

Parade at Corps Headquarters at 8.45 a.m. Peak Residents at Upper Tram Station at 9 a.m.

Range Officer: 2nd-Lieut. A. K. Mackenzie.

No. 7 Platoon will parade at Corps Headquarters on Thursday, November 5, at 5.30 p.m. for Musketry instruction. All those who are firing Part II. on November 8 should make a special point of attending.

Dress: Optional, rifle, belt and side-arms.

**MUSKETRY.**

Ranges have been allotted as follows:—

Stonecutters, Sunday November 1, Infantry Co.

Stonecutters, Sunday, November 8, Scottish Co.

Peak, Sunday, November 1, Armoured Car Co.

Peak, Sunday, November 8, Engineer Co.

**Part II. MARKSMAN.**

The following has qualified as Marksman and is entitled to wear the badge for one year:—

No. 48 Spr. E. R. Dovey, Engineer Company, 95 points.

**PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.**

The following promotions and appointments will take effect from October 28, 1925:—

No. 345 Pte. P. W. R. Ramsay, Scottish Co., to be Corporal and to be Acting Company Quartermaster Sergeant.

No. 862 Sergt. A. Grant Simpson, M.C., Scottish Co., to be Band Secretary.

No. 938 Pte. Wm. Gardner, No. 5 Platoon, to be Drummer.

Hls. Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following promotions and appointments in the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, with effect from October 27, 1925:—

2nd/Lieut. F. Syme Thomson, J. Bartholomew, R. L. Moncrieff and R. H. Skelton to be Lieutenants.

**TRANSFER.**

No. 736 Pte. E. C. Fincher, No. 4 Platoon, is permitted to transfer to No. 2 Platoon, as from 27.10.25.

**LEAVE.**

No. 527 Spr. R. E. Farrell, Engineer Company, is granted 6 months' leave from 21.10.25 to 20.4.26.

No. 891 Pte. T. G. Paterson, Reserve Company, is granted 6 months' leave from 28.10.25 to 27.4.26.

**RESIGNATIONS.**

The following are permitted to resign from the Corps, as from October 31, 1925:—

No. 87 Pte. V. D. Sorby, Reserve Company.

No. 892 L/Cpl. J. Coulthart, Reserve Scottish Section.

**STRUCK OFF.**

No. 597 Pte. A. H. Smith, No. 5 Platoon, having left the Colony is struck off the strength of the Corps, as from 24.10.25.

L. D. JOLL, Captain, Adjutant, H.V.D. Corps, Hongkong, October 30th, 1925.

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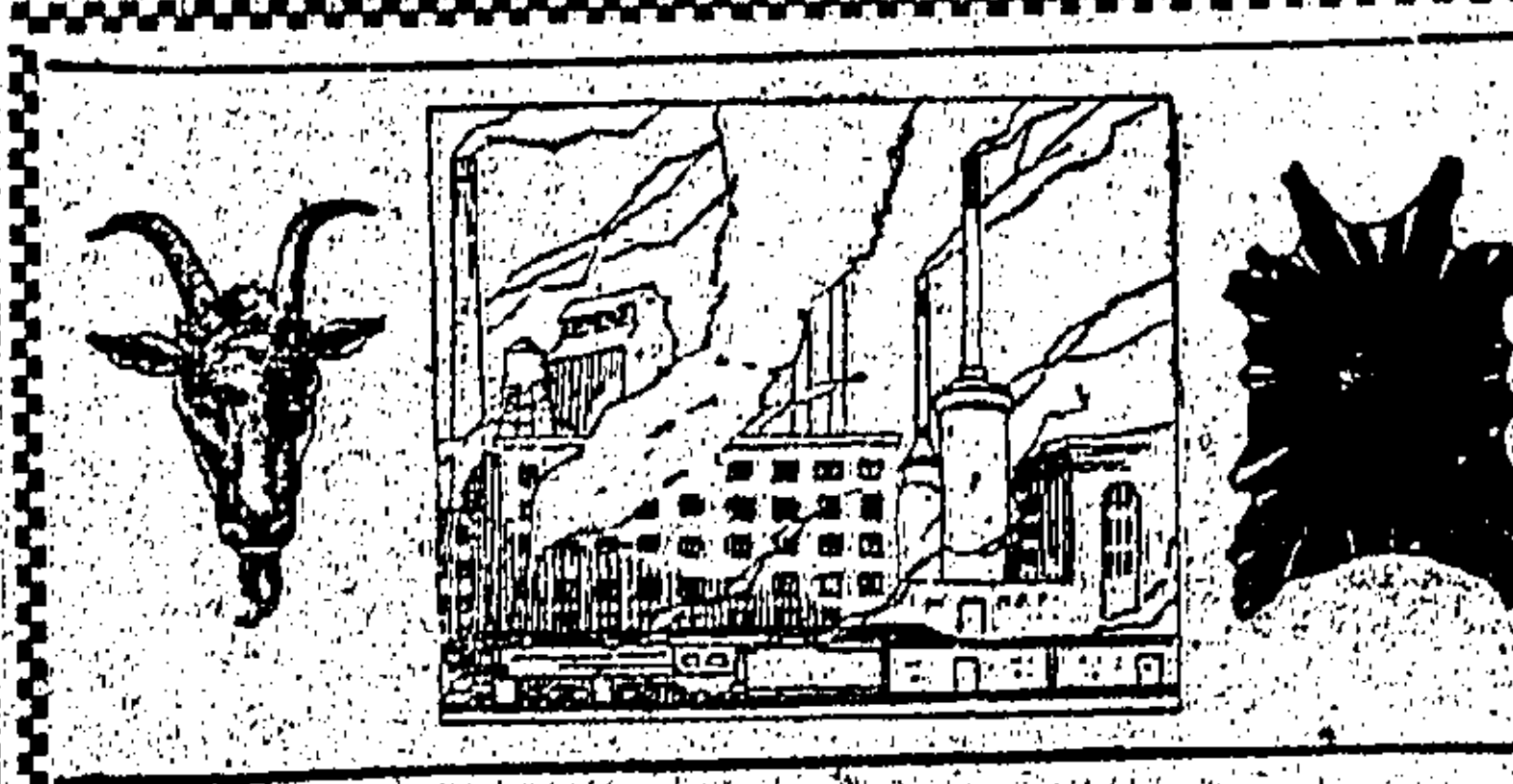
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